

EL PASO DAILY FLYER IN AWFUL WRECK

Secretary McKowen is Held to Answer San Francisco Saloonman Murdered

HELD BY THE HYPNOTIC EYE OF THE TWENTY PEOPLE KEEPER OF ORIENTAL DEN.

KILLED.

**GIRLS
LED TO
RUIN.**

As the evidence accumulates against Charles W. Fong, the Chinese saloonman who is alleged to have conducted a den of iniquity at 511 Eighth street, which had for its purpose the turning of white girls to destruction, the enorm-



ELLA MILLER.



MOLLIE GAUNCE.

THREE WOMEN WHO FREQUENTED THE JAPANESE DEN OF INIQUITY ON EIGHTH STREET.

ity of his crime against the community grows apace.

CHIEF HAS NAMES.
Just how far the malign influence of the wily Oriental extends is not known, but the Chief of Police is in possession of sufficient information to know that a dozen or more families around the bay cities and as far away as San Jose have been disgraced.

Young girls were enticed to the place of sin in many ways, and once the door closed behind them they abandoned hope and honor.

HYPNOTIC INFLUENCE.
The mystery of the brown man's influence is hard to explain. Once were his victims in his power they became absolute slaves to his will and returned at his

promises of extravagant sums of money, dresses and jewelry girls were approached by the white women and induced to place themselves under the power of Fong. Had he not grown arrogant and fearless of condemnation his traffic in the souls of white women might have remained undiscovered. His operations became so bold and the opinion of the white community was at last almost so openly defied that detection was made easy. There was not much apparent effort at concealment. It was the youth and apparent respectability of the women which first aroused suspicion.

WOMAN GAVE TIP.

Chief of Police Hodgkins received an anonymous communication from a woman informing him of her belief that white girls were being lured to their ruin. The photograph gallery attached to the front house served as a blind, but as little or no business was done in this line, those residing in the vicinity looked askance at the place.

COULD NOT ESCAPE.

Della Wright, aged 23, and Ella Miller, aged 22, the two young women now in custody, admit that they could not escape once they found themselves in the meshes of sin which the shrewd Oriental slowly but cunningly wound around them. They said they were completely dominated by the Christianized celestial, even against their own wills.

The two women, who would ordinarily be termed handsome, also acknowledged

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Fast Passenger Express Dashes Into a Freight Train on the Rock Island Road—Pitiful Scenes Are Witnessed.

TOPEKA, Kas., January 6.—The El Paso flyer on the Rock Island road, westbound, which left Topeka at midnight, ten minutes late, crashed into a freight head-on near Willard fifteen miles west of here, killing twenty persons and injuring as many more.

THE DEAD.

The dead are:
C. A. WRIGHT, Kansas City.
JAMES GRIFFIN, Claremont, Mo.
W. S. MARTIN, Dekalb, Ill.
WILLIAM WELLS, Jacksonville, Ill.
GAIL FULLER, Blackton, Ill.
MRS. HENRY KAISER and child, Germany.

UNIDENTIFIED DEAD.

WOMAN about 25 years of age.
GIRL, child, about 1 year old.
WOMAN of 25 years, baggage checked to Tyrone, Okla.
GIRL, 16 years old.
CHILD, 8 years old.
CHILD, 9 years old.
BOY, 12 years old.
BOY, 13 years old, brown and white checked suit.
GIRL, 13 years old, brown dress.
WOMAN, middle age, ticket to Tyrone, Okla.
WOMAN, 40 years old, weight about 155 pounds.
WOMAN, 45 years old, pain band ring on left hand, blue and white checked waist.
MAN, 50 years old, watch with peculiar chain fob and pocket book.
E. E. MYERS, Buffalo, N. Y., identified by name on key ring.
FAY FULLER, 7 years old.
E. RANKIN, name on ticket.

THE INJURED.

The following is a list of the injured:
G. W. SHERMAN, McFarland, Kas., wrist and head injured.
BLANCHE MARTIN, St. Joseph, Mo., left foot sprained and abrasion.
MOLLIE FULLER, Blackton, Ia., head and back injured; not serious.
C. A. FRIED, Everest, Kas., sprain on right ankle and right thigh.
MRS. H. B. ROPSKE, Louisville, Ky., back injured; not serious.
MRS. D. E. FULLER, Blackton, Ia., abrasion on face.
HATTIE ELLINGER, Lindsay, Kas., laceration on face.
GAIL FULLER, Everest, Kas., hips and legs bruised.
CLARENCE FOWLER, Hinson, Ky., lacerations on head.
MRS. M. A. HILL, address unknown, compound fracture left leg and fracture of right femur; serious.
MRS. ALICE ROSEBO, address unknown, slight bruises.
H. A. JONES, Everest, Kas., fractured nose and lacerated face.
J. C. NAGLE, conductor, Kansas City, left ankle broken, bruised.
T. ALLEN, porter, Topeka, back injured; not serious.
FRANK HARVILLE, 6 years old, Chillicothe, Mo., lacerated head.
C. A. WRIGHT, Kansas City, rib fractured and internal injuries.
V. FRAZER, Kansas City, left shoulder sprained.
J. VENEMAN, Pullman conductor, Kansas City.
O. SWANSON, Lane, Kas.
F. L. BEATTY, address unknown.
OLA BARVO, Lynne, I.

E. F. ADAMS, brakeman, Everest, Kas.

MRS. ROSE BULB, Atchison county, Kas.

MRS. BERTHA SHUBERT, St. Clair, Ill.

PETER CLARK, Council Grove, Kansas, back injured, was on the cattle train.

HERO OF THE WRECK.

The dead are being brought to Topeka. Many of them are badly mutilated.

The wreck, according to the passenger conductor, was caused by the freight crew running off schedule. The passenger train had the right of way, he declared, and the freight train should have waited for it to pass at Maple Hill, six miles west of the scene of the collision. The wreck occurred on a curve.

The hero of the wreck was a Dr. Bell of New York City, a young physician, crippled and walking on crutches. Dr. Bell, although slightly hurt as a result of the collision, was the first man to leave the Pullman sleeper, which was not damaged. Struggling heroically forward on his crutches, he immediately assumed charge of the relief work. After working until nearly exhausted, Dr. Bell only gave way when the physicians arrived from Topeka with medicine and instruments.

A REPORTER'S STORY.

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Parsons, a State Journal reporter, was on the wrecked passenger train. Two people in front of Parsons were killed, but Parsons escaped uninjured. He gives the following account of the disaster:
"About 1:35 o'clock this morning, one of the most disastrous and fatal wrecks ever witnessed in the vicinity of Topeka occurred two miles west of Willard, Kansas, on the Rock Island Railroad. At least thirty persons were instantly killed, several fatally, and a large number slightly injured, two passenger cars demolished, two locomotives totally destroyed and four carloads of stock torn to pieces and dead animals strewn along the right of way. This horrible catastrophe was the result of a head-on collision between the El Paso train due to leave Topeka at 11:55 p. m., and a cattle train. Both trains were running at a speed of from fifteen to twenty-five miles an hour. The freight was a long one. When the engines met they were welded together by the impact. The engineer and fireman on the freight escaped without injury by jumping. The fireman on the passenger was seriously injured, but the engineer escaped."

THE GREAT SLAUGHTER.

"It was in the third car of the passenger, the first coach, preceded by a smoker and baggage car, that the great slaughter of passengers took place. The shock drove the smoker, which was occupied only by two or three men, completely over and through the car behind it, which was crowded with passengers, some standing in the aisle, when the shock came. The passengers in the car where the

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MISS ISABEL M'KENNA.

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WASHINGTON, January 6.—Miss Isabel McKenna, eldest daughter of United States Supreme Court Justice and Mrs. McKenna, and Pitts Duffield of New York, son of General and Mrs. Henry M. Duffield of Detroit, Mich., were married at St. Matthew's Church today.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt attended the wedding, as did also members of the Supreme Court and other high officials.

M'KOWEN IS HELD TO ANSWER.

His Stealings Up to Date Are Found to Amount to \$55,000.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 6.—The experts who are looking up the defalcation of ex-Secretary McKowen of the State University have discovered a shortage of \$55,000 up to date. Their work is not yet completed.

W. A. McKowen, who betrayed his friends and his trust as secretary of the Regents of the University of California by the misappropriation of University funds amounting to \$50,000, was held to answer in the Superior Court this morning by Justice Quinn for the theft of \$35,115.

Bail was fixed at \$20,000.

NO DEFENSE.

The defendant placed no witnesses on the stand and his attorney, H. M. Wright, informed a TRIBUNE reporter that McKowen would plead guilty to the charge.

As a consequence, it is not at all improbable that before the end of this month the accused will be enrolled among the criminals of this State, in either San Quentin or Folsom Prison.

ONLY ONE OFFENSE.

The amount for which he was held to answer is only one of McKowen's many thefts, the total amount of which will be about \$80,000. On this point, however, nothing definite can be known until after the experts, now examining McKowen's books, shall have reported.

STOLE LADY'S GIFT.

The money which McKowen is to answer was taken from the fund of the anthropological department of the University of California, which is

supported entirely by Mrs. Phebe A. Hearst.

AVOIDING CAMERAS.

The examination began promptly at 10 o'clock, but the defendant was brought to the courtroom about three-quarters of an hour before that time by Constable Hempstead, hoping thereby to escape the cameras of the newspaper artists. He remained in an ante-room until the proceedings began, and would have stayed there during the hearing, had not Justice Quinn asked if the defendant was in court.

"He is in the adjoining room, your honor," said Attorney Wright, defendant's counsel. "I will bring him here."

THE ATTENDANCE.

There were few spectators in the room, nearly all present being in some way connected with the case. Among the attendants were Regent John A. Britton of this city, A. W. Naylor,

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Pico's Care for Consumption gives relief in cases of Coughs and Colds. All druggists 25c.

FURNITURE AUCTION

On Thursday, January 7, 11 a. m., at 471 Twenty-second street, near Telegraph avenue, on account of departure, will sell complete almost new furniture of six rooms. Elegant parlor upholstered, lace curtains, extension table, couches, enameled iron beds, bedroom sets, Brussels carpets, matting, hair mattresses, very fine kitchen range, crockery, bedding, etc., etc. Sale absolute. Terms cash. MEYER & MEYER, Auctioneers. Office, 401-403 Eighth street, corner Franklin; Phone Cedar 621.

BRUTAL MURDER ACROSS THE BAY.

SAN FRANCISCO, January 6.—Joseph Martini, proprietor of a Pacific-street resort, was shot and killed today by Edward Richards, a recent arrival in this city.

Richards entered Martini's place and ordered drinks for all present. After they were served he refused to pay

for the liquor. Martini walked from behind the bar to eject Richards, who quickly drew a revolver and fired. The ball struck Martini over the right eye and he fell, mortally wounded, dying without recovering consciousness.

Richards escaped but was soon captured and charged with murder.

MERCHANTS TALK OF CONSOLIDATION.

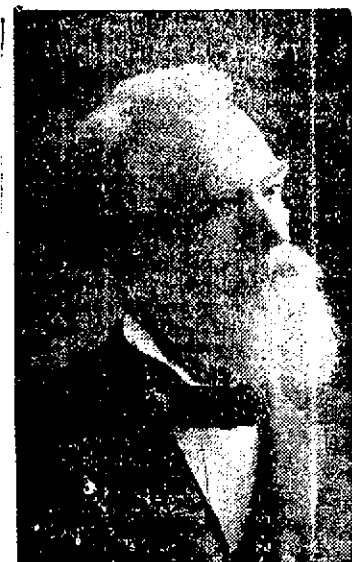
Representatives From Berkeley, Alameda, Fruitvale and Oakland Discuss the Important Issue—There Will Be a Campaign of Education.

"Greater Oakland" was the theme which seriously occupied the attention of fifty of the leading citizens and business men of Oakland, Alameda, Berkeley and Fruitvale last night at the rooms of the Merchants' Exchange in the Central Bank building. The earnestness with which the proposed consolidation was discussed and businesslike way in which the delegates from the neighboring towns took up the proposition indicates that the agitation of the question will be kept up until the people at least have an opportunity of passing on it.

The only definite action taken last night was the adoption of the suggestion of H. C. Capwell that a committee from the Merchants' Exchange be appointed to arrange the time and place where the consolidation of the cities could be publicly discussed in each community affected. The committee will be named by President Gler at a later date.

THE EXCHANGE MEETS.

Preceding the consideration of the question of the consolidation, the regular business session of the Exchange was held. Secretary Walker read the following applications for membership of the Exchange: A. Goldwin, George A. Russell, Selby Brothers, M. C. Schultz, Davis Cash Store, Howell, Dohrmann Company, W. G. Elder, John B. Jordan, J. E. Manderhan, H. K. Jackson, J. N. Bonham, F. Willis Sharpe. The names read were approved by the Exchange directors present.



D. C. BROWN.

and the applicants were declared elected. Secretary Walker then reported that the committee named to investigate crematory matters had found the ordinance before the City Council generally satisfactory. The matter was held over until the next meeting.

Director D. C. Brown reported that Tenth street had been in a state of improvement for over a year and urged that steps be taken to have the street completed at once.

An invitation to be present at the formal opening of the Oakland College of Medicine and Surgery on January 8th was then read.

ELECT A CHAIRMAN.

Green Majors of Alameda was then elected chairman of the consolidation meeting and William Walker secretary.

VICE PRESIDENT NAMED.

Vice-President Jonas made the address of welcome to the visiting delegations which represented many improvement clubs in the bay cities. A-



J. F. W. SMITH.

A. JONAS.
Vice-President Merchants' Exchange.

ter briefly stating that the Merchants' Exchange, with a desire to improve the eastern shore of the bay, had issued the call for the meeting, he read the following explanatory letter, which was sent to the various improvement clubs and citizens:

COMMITTEE'S CALL.

You are cordially invited to send a committee to represent your organization at a conference of the commercial organizations and improvement clubs of Alameda, Berkeley, Fruitvale and Oakland to be held at the rooms of the Merchants' Exchange, Central Bank Building, corner Fourteenth and Broadway streets, January 6, 1904, at eight o'clock p. m.

The object of the meeting is to consider the advisability of the formation of a consolidated city government for the cities of Alameda, Berkeley, Fruitvale, Oakland and immediate vicinity. If it is thought desirable to create such a city an organization will be formed to further the matter.

The Merchants' Exchange will be pleased to see a large attendance to consider the matter which we believe would be of great benefit to all the residents of the locality indicated.

A. Jonas, J. F. W. Smith, H. C. Capwell, G. W. Arper, H. G. Williams, Wilbur Walker, Committee.

MR. ARPER SPEAKS.

The chairman then called on Mr. Arper to speak. He said:

"Mr. Chairman, I have had some difficulty getting the floor. On this question of consolidation I would say it is one which has been agitated for many years. It has been kept before us by the fact that all the funds raised had to be paid to municipal officials. This leaves us in a position, where if we wish to improve our streets, we have no revenue, but must depend upon taxes raised from certain districts. If the residents of Oakland, Alameda and Berkeley will apply the same business acumen to the question of consolidation as they do to their business, it will not take long to consolidate. It has been estimated that \$100,000 can be saved annually. This is a great deal to be saved by a political move. Consolidation is the watershed of this century. Great campaigns are consolidating all over the country. Eastern municipalities are in consolidation. I do not care what you call the new city and county government.

"The Merchants' Exchange intends to agitate this question with facts and figures. We believe an appeal made to the taxpayers will result in much good. We will appeal to their pocket and therefore it will be direct."

GEORGE RENNER.

C. L. Smith of Alameda then called on Mr. George Renner to speak. In responding the latter said:

"I wish to assure the persons present here that the West End Improvement Club, which I represent in a small way, is a live one. When we were striving for the Webster street improvement I told the members that I was in favor of consolidation. But I am in favor of consolidation only conditionally. If it can be shown that the various cities will be improved then we should act. Alameda is a beautiful city and has many advantages. Unless we can return to our home city and assure the people that their lot will be improved they will not come in."

"The Webster street road is one which we in Alameda acknowledge we cannot handle. If we can be assured that by consolidation this work will be taken up, we will be in favor of entering the fold. We will have to show this and our people before they will act, however."

IS FROM MISSOURI.

Col. H. M. Hawks, of Alameda, then asked that he and the others present be shown the figures.

"I want to know what there is in favor of consolidation and I think the others

wish the same thing."

Chairman Majors—The audience seems to be composed of Missourians. They all have to be shown.

FACTS AND FIGURES.

Secretary Walker of the Exchange was then called on for facts and figures. He said in part:

"Within three miles of where we are talking there are three different ways of collecting taxes and five ways of dispensing justice. In collecting my figures from the various cities about Oakland, I have not taken into consideration the expense of maintaining a fire department, street department, or the public schools. For in event of consolidation or not these things must be maintained. The expense will be the same.

"Taking the expenses attached to the purely administrative offices of the various communities the saving would be as follows: Oakland, \$16,000 per annum; Alameda, \$14,000; Berkeley, \$14,500; Emeryville, \$5000, making a total of \$110,000 which would be saved by consolidation in a year. These figures were compiled four years ago, but the lessens they touch is just as great as ever.

"Every city election we have nearly bankrupts us. There is no good reason for that. We pay a city assessor \$5143. He doesn't make any assessments. Other municipal offices cost the taxpayer a round sum. The county officials do the work and the municipal offices often draw the pay. Our taxes are high and have their effect in a business way. If you wish to borrow money in San Francisco from the banks they will charge you more interest on property on this side of the bay than on the other.

"Mayor Olney, who is an enthusiast on



GEORGE W. ARPER.

the subject of consolidation, estimates that if it is consummated it will effect a saving of \$400,000 annually to the municipalities concerned."

SOHST ENTHUSIASTIC.

Director Sohst was then called on by Chairman Majors. He said:

"We have a good government in Oakland today and we are proud of it. We invite the other cities to join with us. Each of the cities will be saved so much money and it should present itself to us favorably, as a business proposition. My taxes are higher by \$150 this year than they were ever before. I am not 'squealing,' but I am willing to have them reduced by consolidation. San Francisco has shown us the way and we should follow suit."

MR. MACKAY'S VIEWS.

Alexander Mackay was then called on for his views. "It would be inconsistent," he said "for me as a resident of Alameda not to advocate consolidation. There was a time when almost every man, woman and child was against consolidation. That time has passed. We have already had to call on Oakland for help in the matter of the Webster street road."



WILBUR WALKER.



H. C. CAPWELL, PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY BANK AND TRUST COMPANY AND MEMBER OF MERCHANTS' EXCHANGE.

There is no good reason why we should not consolidate. It is inconvenient for me to pay taxes in Alameda and then in Oakland. I am heartily in favor of consolidation."

J. R. MACAULAY.

John R. Macaulay of Alameda came nearly being a firebrand at the meeting. He summed all of his opposition to the plan of consolidation by making a language by saying he would rather be a citizen of Michigan than a ward of Oakland.

A. G. CLARK.

Allan G. Clarke of Berkeley said: "I cannot speak authoritatively for Berkeley, but I will say that I do not believe that Berkeley will ever consent to purely a municipal consolidation. I do think that county consolidation would be acceptable."

CHAIRMAN MAJORS SPEAKS.

Chairman Majors then asked permission to speak from the chair. He said in part:

"We are not building for today but for future generations. We have a population of 1,500,000 or 2,000,000 as compared to Germany with 15 more than 50,000,000 inhabitants. Think what a glorious city could be reared on the eastern shore of the bay when we have one-quarter of Germany's population.

"We must proceed not from sentiment but expediency. We should have a new charter before it would be possible to consolidate. We need the people in the saddle."

CAPWELL MAKES SUGGESTION.

H. C. Capwell was then asked to express his views. He said in part:

"I am sorry that instead of proceeding on the purely informal plan that we have that we did not reserve ourselves into a debating organization and that the question should be 'Is consolidation advisable?' There is need of much education. We should obtain a bill in a central place and have the disputants on either side air their opinions thoroughly. We are going to have consolidation, but not until Oakland is made so attractive, commercially and from other standpoints, to other cities, that you cannot keep them out. Consolidation is the natural law of evolution and it is coming as sure as fate. This meeting is informal, but we should formulate a plan of disseminating information. We should have public discussions held in Berkeley, Oakland and Alameda."

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FRUITVALE M. A. N.

C. Leidecker of Fruitvale was called on for his views. He stated that it was imperative and that it must eventually come.

Judge E. M. Gibson stated he was thoroughly in favor of consolidation.

THOSE PRESENT.

Among those present were: Allan G. Clark, F. U. Ellen, O. Frank, Green Majors, Philip Kiernan, W. Brindes, J. W. Gillogly, G. W. Dennis, J. George Renner, N. C. Hawks, W. J. Shreve, W. Bethow, L. Gotthelm, G. M. Fulton, Adolph Herker, M. H. Owens, W. G. Beckstein, Alexander Mackay, H. Buck, V. M. Frodden, George N. Hickman, E. J. Probst, A. R. Denke, P. Jorgensen, J. T. Hardin, John R. Macaulay, George W. Langdon, C. R. Smith, C. Leidecker, J. M. Taylor, E. O. Ingle, Richard Dybergh.

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Mrs. W. L. D. Helena, Mont., writes: "I have waited one year before writing you of the permanent cure of my son. He took sanitarium treatment, as well as other advertised cures, but they all failed until we gave him "ORRINE." He is now fully restored to health and has no desire for drink."

Mr. A. E. L., Atlanta, Ga., writes: "I was born with a love of whiskey and drank it

SUCCUMBS TO BLOOD POISONING.

Mrs. Eliza M. Farley died in Oakland yesterday morning at the home of her son, Newton S. Farley, after an illness of six weeks, the immediate cause being blood poisoning in the foot.

Mrs. Farley was born in Ohio February 14, 1822. She removed when a young child to southwestern, now Berrien county, Michigan, where her father, Major Timothy S. Smith, was the Deputy Governor under Lewis Cass, Governor of the Territory of Michigan.

In 1840 she married Ebenezer Farley, and in 1854 the family crossed the plains with ox teams and settled at Alameda, where they resided until a few years after the death of Mr. Farley in 1879. Since then Mrs. Farley has resided for various periods at Gilroy, Monterey, Los Gatos and Oakland. She was the mother of the late Eben C. Farley, who lived in Oakland for years, but latterly resided in Los Gatos. Mrs. E. M. Farley, formerly of Gilroy but now residing at Pacific Grove, James Farley of Hanford, Mrs. Mary E. Fowler of Los Gatos, Mrs. Emma H. Barker, deceased, and Newton S. Farley of Oakland.

Her father, brothers and sisters all came to California in very early times, and one of her brothers, Henry C. Smith, deceased, was instrumental in having the county of Alameda created and formed out of Santa Clara and Contra Costa counties with the county seat originally located at Alameda. A brother, Lewis Cass Smith, resides at Alameda.

The funeral services and interment will be at Centerville on Thursday.

RECORD BREAKING SCHOOL YEAR.

City Superintendent of Schools McClymonds is greatly puzzled to know just what to do with the great number of additional school children which are in attendance this year.

It was necessary to organize two new classes in the Lincoln School. In each of the schools the enrollment shows an increase over last year's enrollment and it is estimated that there will be between 11,000 and 12,000 school children in the public schools when the term is in full swing. This is the largest number ever in attendance and is taken as significant of the increased and growing population of Oakland.

LIVELY SESSION.

HELENA, Mont., Jan. 6.—During the progress of the inquiry into the cause of the fatal explosion in the Michael Davitt mine, sensational testimony was offered, and Attorney Evans, representing the Amalgamated Copper Company and County Attorney Breed would have on a personal encounter had not the coroner stepped between them. A miner named Allen testified that ten boxes of dynamite were used in the mine and that the blasts were so frequent and awful in force that the miners were unable to work in the shaft.

CAR-BARN BANDITS.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—The trial of the car-barn bandits, Marx, Niedermeyer, Vandine and Roscki, began before Judge Korstien today.

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| NAME. | Last known residence or Postoffice Address. | Alive or Dead. | Amount. |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------------|----------------|------------|
| Marcus Torrey | Irvington, Cal. | Not known | \$306.07 |
| Mrs. Annie Bush | San Leandro, Cal. | Not known | \$85.50 |
| Mrs. Clara P. Keane | No. 53 Fifth St., Oakland, Cal. | Not known | \$8.50 |
| Mrs. Mary Stanton | Virginia City, Nev. | Not known | \$0.03 |
| Mrs. Amanda Payne | East Oakland, Cal. | Not known | \$7.48 |
| Mrs. Alice Hawley | East Oakland, Cal. | Not known | \$0.27 |
| Total | | | \$1,417.94 |

State of California, County of Alameda, ss.
I do solemnly swear that I have a personal knowledge of the matters contained in the foregoing statement, and that every allegation, statement, matter and thing therein contained is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 14th day of December, 1903.
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M. C. CHAPMAN AND A. L. FRICK

Melvin C. Chapman and A. L. Frick, attorneys for the defendant in the case of Mrs. Frances M. Hall vs. Mrs. Catherine Williams for alleged slander, won a great victory yesterday in Judge Melvin's court when their client was cleared of the charges placed against her.

Although three weeks have been occupied in hearing the evidence in the case, only five minutes were required by the jury to decide that the plaintiff was not entitled to damages.

Mrs. Hall had asked \$50,000 damages from Mrs. Williams, because, as she alleged, the latter had made slanderous remarks about her to the neighbors. Both women are well known in West Oakland.

AMUSEMENTS.

"Uncle Josh Sprucey," the first of the many rural plays now being presented in the different theatres will be seen at the Macdonough Theatre tonight and tomorrow night.

This production is said to be different from all others, as it contains much comedy as well as pathos, and the realistic saw mill scene is the most exciting and intense effect ever produced. The scenes of the play are laid in Vermont and New York, which gives ample opportunity for portraying the simple rustic characters in country, as well as the many incidents that befall the simple country folks that visit the metropolis.

"THE GHOSTS." More than average interest will center in the engagement at the Macdonough Theatre on Friday and Saturday, January 8th and 9th, of Miss Alberta Gallatin. She will present Ineson's powerful play, "Ghosts," supported by a company of unusual excellence. Miss Gallatin's impersonation of Mrs. Alving in Ineson's masterpiece is of great strength and intensity. The role is one making heavy demands on an actress' emotional powers, but Miss Gallatin's proves equal to these demands, especially so in the scene in which Oswald (her son), who, feeling he is tottering on the verge of insanity, begs his mother to give him poison that he may end his unfortunate life.

"HAPPY HOLLIGAN." When "Mappy" Holligan comes to the Macdonough Theatre next Sunday, January 10th, matinee and night and Monday night, all the latest and most popular music of the day will be heard. The management this season has paid a great deal of attention to the musical part of the entertainment, the result being particularly gratifying.

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THAT M'KINLEY REQUEST.

Our Democratic contemporary, the Grass Valley Union, is fair enough to discredit the statement recently given out by Perry S. Heath to the effect that President McKinley shortly before his untimely death expressed the hope that Senator Hanna should succeed him in the Presidency.

But it is not necessary to discredit the truth of Heath's statement to destroy whatever force it may have. President McKinley is dead and cannot affirm or deny any statements attributed to him by designing persons.

But the motives and animus of Perry S. Heath are well known. Mr. Heath hates President Roosevelt for the good and sufficient reason expressed in the old saw "No one ever felt halter draw with good opinion of the law." One of the first acts of President Roosevelt after his accession to the Presidency was to force Heath out of the position of First Assistant Postmaster-General. Since then the President has been vigorously smoking out and punishing the gang of grafters that Heath fastened on the Postal Department. The Bristol report indicates Heath's connection with the postal frauds and the men who perpetrated them. It is not strange therefore that Heath should desire to discredit the President for a re-nomination.

It is not improbable, however, that President McKinley did in some private conversation express a desire for Senator Hanna to succeed him. Senator Hanna was his closest personal and political friend, who for many years had done everything in his power to advance the political fortunes of the President. But President McKinley was no more able to foresee the trend of future events than he was to foresee his own assassination and the consequences it entailed.

Besides it is not the usage in this country to allow Presidents to leave the Chief Magistracy as a testamentary legacy to their friends. Admitting for the sake of argument, however, that Mr. McKinley should have been permitted to name his successor, the public will demand some better evidence that he bequeathed the Presidency to Senator Hanna than the parole evidence furnished by Perry S. Heath. That individual is a discredited as well as an interested witness.

And it may be remarked by way of parenthesis that Perry S. Heath does Senator Hanna no good and the President no harm by his talking.

A recent compilation of statistics relating to the religious affiliations of the inhabitants of New York City reveals some peculiar conditions. In a population aggregating above 2,500,000, there are 1,500,000 Protestants, 1,200,000 Catholics and 600,000 Jews, leaving upwards of 600,000 to be classed as Greek Catholics, Spiritualists, free thinkers and what not. Seventy per cent of the Catholics attend church while only 25 per cent of the Protestants. Oddly enough 32 per cent of the Protestant congregations are men, while Catholic congregations contain only 25 per cent of men. But more than two-thirds of the inhabitants of the metropolis do not attend church at all, and there is a vast and rapidly increasing army of nominally Protestants and Catholics who pay no attention whatever to the churches or what is going on in them. When they do attend church it is on such occasions as a wedding or a funeral. In other words, the community is lapsing into a sort of paganism, notwithstanding the enormous sums expended annually in the maintenance of church establishment. New York spends more money than any city in the world to support religion, yet its inhabitants manifest an increasing indifference for religion and religious teaching.

One railroad president has got into the star jockey salary class. President Loe of the Rock Island system is credited with receiving \$100,000 a year. That is nearly twice as much as Charles M. Hays received for showing how quickly he could muss up the Southern Pacific's affairs.

The Colombians may now go and tell their story to the marines of the Isthmus.

"Would the Tribune have us leave our distant possessions a prey to any pirate that might covet them?" asks the Sacramento News. No; not so long as we have distant possessions, but one may venture to express a suspicion that the cost of acquiring and the expense of maintaining distant possessions more than counter-balance the benefits we gain from them. There is no analogy between the suppression of the Rebellion or the Mexican war and the acquisition of the Philippines. It is true that everything that is worth having comes high in a sense, but many things not worth having come higher still—hot birds, late hours and fast company, for instance. We find that the Philippines are coming higher than we thought; the question is, is it worth while.

RACE SUICIDE AND WEALTH CONCENTRATION.

One aspect of the social economies of what is known as race suicide is generally overlooked. As a rule, the birth rate decreases with the increase in wealth, culture, refinement and luxury in living. As the standard of comfort rises, the birth rate lowers—not in those families least able to conform to the higher standards of comfort, but in those families best able to rear, support and educate children.

As a result of this social phenomena we find an utter disproportion between the increase of the rich and the poor. The poor multiply at a normal ratio while the rich multiply in an inverse ratio to their wealth. In consequence, there is an ever-increasing tendency to widen the disparity between the numbers of the rich and poor. Those born to an inheritance of wealth grow smaller proportionately, generation by generation, while those born to the inheritance of poverty continue coming into the world at a normal rate.

Hence we see wealth congestion as a result of the decreasing birth rate among the rich and well-to-do classes. We see family fortunes piling up while the number of those who inherit them grow smaller. This of itself presents a problem in social and political economy quite apart from the moral and religious aspects of race suicide. Interference with the laws of procreation are radically disturbing the natural laws governing the distribution of wealth. The rich are growing richer by a process of eliminating the number of the rich.

How little this important phase of the race suicide problem is considered is shown by the comments of Richard C. Barnett, State Superintendent of Schools of Iowa, on the sinister showing made by his State in the school census. With an increasing population, Iowa has a decreasing birth rate, not relatively but actually. Last year there were more marriages than in 1902 and fewer births. Yet the State never contained so much wealth. The Federal census of June, 1900, gave Iowa a school population of 167,870, while the school census of September, 1900, gave only 161,154, the school census of 1901 163,158, the school census of 1902 168,810 and the school census of 1903 171,486. Eighty-five Iowa counties show decreases in the school population and not more than a dozen increases. This in face of the fact that the population of the State is constantly being recruited by accessions from Europe and other parts of the United States. It is worthy of note in this connection that the increase in the inhabitants of Iowa for the past two decades, notwithstanding the inflowing immigration, has been slightly below the increase that would result from a normal birth rate. On this showing Mr. Barnett complacently comments as follows: "I believe that the population of Iowa has not decreased but the theory is often advanced that the higher the degree of intelligence of any people the smaller the families. The high percentage of literary in Iowa is well known, and commented on favorably by educators and people everywhere. It is possible that Iowa may be a clear illustration of the theory I refer to."

Mr. Barnett admits that the race in Iowa is dying at the top—that is, taking the wealthy and highly cultured as the top—but he fails to see the significance of it. It has not occurred to him to speculate on the consequences that must inevitably flow from the wealthier classes evading if not actually violating the fundamental law of nature while the poorer classes conform to it. He discovers a condition and finds a convenient theory to apologize for it. Unfortunately his major premise is based upon an erroneous assumption. His conclusion would be worthy of some respect if the birth rate were declining among the poor while remaining normal among the rich. The conclusions are in reverse, however, which destroys the comfortless assurance conveyed by the utilitarian theory that the birth rate should be artificially measured by the ability of families to support themselves in comfort—that the number of offspring should be gauged by the income of the progenitor. Nature established no such rule, neither has man. But man for his own pleasure and convenience has conspired with himself to defeat the purposes and processes of nature, and to justify himself has invented a theory that is precisely contrary to the facts. The larger the income the fewer the children, which accelerates the accretion of wealth in the hands of the few.

Past experiences with dollar dinners do not indicate that the one designed to celebrate Mr. Bryan's safe return from "furrin parts" is likely to influence the Presidential election.

Why don't the Chinese take a lesson from American legislation and enact a law excluding Russians from coming into their country?

STRIKING AT THE STOMACH.

About two months ago THE TRIBUNE printed a special dispatch from New York which stated that there was a concerted action on the part of the trunk line railway systems to reduce their working force as small as possible for the winter. With a few exceptions the press ignored this important piece of news. Its truth has been verified in many ways since, and the discharge of 18,000 employees by the roads centering in Chicago must remove the doubts of the most skeptical. Not only has the working force on the railroads been cut down, but the same thing is to be observed in all the related lines of industry. Nearly all the large manufacturing concerns have reduced their force. Others have given notice of reductions in wages accompanied by a warning that failure to accept will mean a shut-down. As a rule the reductions have been accepted. If this general and concerted discharge of all employees that it is possible to get along without is not the first gun in a counter campaign to break the growing power of the labor unions all signs are at fault. It is well-known that employers throughout the country have been thoroughly organized into one compact federation during the past few months. In all likelihood the general discharge of workmen in midwinter is intended to put labor on short rations as a preliminary to taking other steps in dealing with the unions. Just where the struggle so inaugurated will end no man can tell.

SOME PASSING JESTS.

"What is Jones doing nowadays?"
"Surviving."
"What?"
"Yes; he walks up and down Broadway every afternoon and looks at the pretty girls."—Columbia Jester.

"Sometimes," said Uncle Eben, "dem dat keeps lookin' for trouble ain't smart enough to recognize de real achille when he sees it comin'."—Washington Star.

"Well, Johnnie, did you have a good time at the children's party?"
"You bet. I was sick for nearly a week."—Chicago Record-Herald.

SAFE FROM THE HEAT.
From the Cincinnati Times-Star.
"Don't you have any trouble with your furniture warping out of shape from the heat?"
"I used to, but not any more."
"How did you fix it?"
"Moved in an apartment house."

CHARCOAL EPH.
The world is full of pictures of virtue, but day's too much disposition to put dem in de back of de rack, Mistah Jackson—Baltimore News.

SAVAGE THREATS.
"Look at that puffed-up thing coming in this way!" said the first tack, as the pneumatic tire approached.
If it makes any attempt to run over me," said the second tack, "I'll take the wind out of it."—New Yorker.

HAY FEVER.
Tomdix—What reason have you for thinking you have hay fever?
Hojax—Because every time I meet a grass widow I sneeze.—Chicago News.

LIVING HIGHER THIS WINTER.
"He's simply living on his automobile this winter."
"Why, I thought he couldn't afford to run the thing."
"That's just it. He sold it."—Philadelphia Inquirer.

Chips From Other Blocks

Even Spain moves along, sluggishly, but still forward. The ancient city of Toledo is going to introduce gutters in the streets for removing sewage.—El Paso Herald.

After all, it must be rather annoying to Mr. Bryan to reflect what a lot of popularity he is accumulating where it could be figures as a political asset.—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Considering his own large experience in the same line, Dowd should have more sympathy for his creditors when all they are asking for is money.—Chicago News.

When business rivalry takes the shape of putting the lives of third parties in peril the jail should yawn for somebody, and not in vain.—New York Evening Sun.

Now that Hon. Jerry Simpson has come out reservedly for Judge Parker, why look for a candidate?—Kansas City Journal.

Manila is a great place for "jawbone," but the natives always pay on the first of the month, when they get their pay. The Americans should also be made to do so.—From Jetties, Manila, P. I.

Seeing that Uncle Sam would have to do most of the fighting, Panama stands resolute and undaunted before the grim spectre of war.—Chicago News.

The fact that little things may be worthy of serious consideration is fully appreciated by the man with a speck in his eye.—Chicago Record-Herald.

Holds up the Common may hasten the fulfillment of Prof. James' prediction that in two years there would be lynch law on that historic ground.—Boston Advertiser.

"Let crime stop and there will be no more lynchings," says Rev. Dr. Bartlett of Chicago. But there ought to be an exception made of the man who didn't know it was loaded and the fool who rocks the boat.—Cincinnati Commercial Tribune.

Governor Dockery's assurance that he is unable to distinguish one poker chip from another may be construed to mean that beans and matches are still used as chips in the Jefferson City game.—Kansas City Times.

These are the days when boys with thin legs are searching through the darning basket for the fastest stocking in the family.—Augusta Chronicle.

A young woman out West had her neck twisted all the way around playing football. And the ball wasn't made of rubber, either.—Birmingham News.

ALABAMA BOYCOTT STATUTE.

TEXT OF THE LAW THAT HAS ANGERED LABOR UNIONS.

So much has been said about the recent act of the Alabama Legislature making boycotting a penal offense that we print the law in full herewith:

Section 1. To prohibit boycotting, unfair lists, picketing or other interference with the lawful business or occupation of others, and to provide a penalty therefor.

Section 2. Be it enacted by the Legislature of Alabama, that it shall be unlawful for two or more persons to conspire together for the purpose of preventing any person, persons, firm or corporation from carrying on any lawful business within the State of Alabama, or for the purpose of interfering with the same.

Section 3. That it shall be unlawful for two or more persons to go near or to loiter about the premises or place of business of any person, firm or corporation engaged in a lawful business for the purpose of influencing or inducing others not to trade with, buy from, sell or to have business dealings with such person, firm or corporation, or to picket the works or place of business of such person, firm or corporation for the purpose of interfering with or injuring any lawful business or enterprise. Provided that nothing herein shall prevent any person from soliciting trade or business for a competitive business.

Section 4. That it shall be unlawful to print or circulate any notice of boycott, boycott cards, stickers, doggers or unfair lists, publishing or declaring that a boycott or ban exists or has existed or is contemplated against any person, firm or corporation doing a lawful business, or publishing the name of any judicial officer or other public official upon any black list, unfair list or other similar list because of any lawful act or decision of such officer.

Section 5. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation to maintain a black list or to notify any other firm or corporation that any person has been blacklisted by such person, firm or corporation, or to use any other similar means to prevent such persons from receiving employment.

Any person, firm or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act must, on conviction, pay a fine of not less than \$50 nor more than \$500, or to be imprisoned not to exceed sixty days' hard labor for the county. That all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this act be and the same are hereby repealed.

Approved September 26, 1903.

REPORT ON THE FREE LIBRARY.

Librarian Greene submitted the following report for December at the meeting last night of the Board of Library Trustees:

To the board of trustees of the Free Public Library and Reading Rooms: I have the pleasure of submitting my report for the month of December, 1903. No. of borrowers, December 1st, 1903, 1,147; No. of borrowers added 1901, No. of borrowers withdrawn, 15; increase, 113. No. of borrowers January 1st, 1904, 1,260. Money received from fines, \$76.70; money received from lost books, \$125.12; money received from rental of books, \$17.50; total, \$219.32. No. of volumes issued for home use, 12,157; total, 12,157. No. of volumes received, 1,147; total, 1,147. No. of volumes issued for library use, 1,147; total, 1,147. No. of volumes received, 1,147; total, 1,147. No. of volumes issued for library use, 1,147; total, 1,147. No. of volumes received, 1,147; total, 1,147.

Since my last report I have bought 76 books at a cost of \$76.15. I have the pleasure of reporting several important gifts of books this month. Mrs. S. S. Montague has given us fifty-one volumes of standard books in many lines. Mrs. Frank J. Bramhall has sent us seven consecutive volumes bound of "Le Monde Moderne" and five volumes of "Geology" and Mrs. C. G. Phillips has given us a set of ten volumes of de luxe edition of pictureque California, besides a number of French juveniles.

In accordance with instructions of the board, I communicated with F. H. Quin in the matter of trees that shades the Library Building. This kindly reply I file herewith. The trees have a new, by order, been trimmed back to the property line. The old chairs and stools that were in the study room have been put in order and distributed as needed to the various reading rooms as follows:

West Oakland, 10 chairs; East Oakland, 14 chairs and encyclopedia. Alameda, 6 chairs and encyclopedia. Alameda, 6 chairs and encyclopedia. North Oakland, 4 stools and encyclopedia. I have communicated with the librarians of Alameda, Berkeley and the State University in the matter of co-operation in buying books to avoid duplicating expensive sets, and have been very successful. Expensive and seldom used books in one of these libraries may be made available to the others by the system of inter-library loans already in force. The new arrangement is to supplement that by further co-operation in buying books. Details are yet to be perfected. Respectfully submitted, CHAS. S. GREENE, Librarian.

PERMITTED TO RESIGN FROM OFFICE.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Jenkins and Mateo visited the Treasury Department yesterday to ascertain the status of the investigation into the affairs of J. E. Evans of Oakland, special agent of the Treasury, stationed at El Paso.

Evans was charged with irregularities connected with the undervaluation of cattle and ores imported from Mexico, as well as with conduct incompatible with the proper discharge of his duties. In view of Evans' good record of thirty years' service in the Treasury Department, mainly at San Francisco and in Alaska, the Californians hoped to find extenuating circumstances in the case, but were informed that it would be impossible to continue Evans longer in Government employ.

The most that Assistant Secretary Armstrong would do was to recommend to Secretary Shaw that Evans be permitted to resign and that his recommendation will no doubt be approved.

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Himself was the chauffeur—the warning bell rung.
Then off and away with a zip and a scoot
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Observed the impetuous young Lochinvar."
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As a January special we are offering a dressing sacque of eiderdown in red, gray, blue and pink. This sacque has crocheted edges, is fastened with a ribbon at the neck, and is carefully finished throughout.

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This is a box coat of glossy black zibeline. It is collarless, has shoulder capes, bell sleeves and is handsomely trimmed with cloth bands, silk cord and silver buttons.

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This is a very elaborate coat of white zibeline. It is bloused and skirted, has a deep cape and full sleeves with turn-back, pointed cuffs. It is lined with Duchesse satin, and white silk braid forms an elaborate trimming.

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| \$32.50 coats for | \$20.00 |
| \$37.50 coats for | \$25.00 |
| \$47.50 coats for | \$30.00 |
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| \$125.00 coat for | \$85.00 |

Silk Petticoats

\$10.50

Petticoat of black and white striped taffeta. January sale price

\$7.50

\$14.50

Silk underskirts of white taffeta, trimmed with black silk ruching, or in black and white plaid effects. January sale price

\$10.00

\$17.50

Petticoat of white taffeta with deep flounce or of dark green or red plaid taffeta—January sale price

\$12.50

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WHERE MISTAKE WAS MADE IN THEATER.

CHICAGO, January 6.—"The over-ventilators over the stage been a whelming mistake of the Ironquists dis-aster was in the condition of the sky-lights and ventilators above the stage," of life by fire, regardless of the as-said Prosecutor Fulkerson today. "Had I best curtain falling to work."

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"An employee of the theater failed in his duty of closing the metal reflecting trough and thus blocked the curtain. But the skylights were blocked and wired so they could not be opened. The heat of the skylight, with the result that there was instantly relief from the deadly draft sweeping the auditorium. If the skylights had been entirely opened the flames would have been diverted from the audience entirely."

Mr. Fulkerson added: "All the testimony given forms a story of incompetence, blunders, carelessness and neglect on the part of the builders and managers of the theater."

Today George M. Dusenberry, head usher, was called before Inspector Fulkerson and the ushers were examined to determine the truth of reports that the ushers tried to prevent by threats of arrest the outpouring of frightened people from the burning theater.

DOCTOR'S SHIFT

Now Gets Along Without It.

A physician says: "Until last fall I used to eat meat for my breakfast and suffered with indigestion until the meat had passed from the stomach. 'Last fall I began the use of Grape-Nuts for breakfast and very soon found I could do without meat, for my body got all the nourishment necessary from the Grape-Nuts and since then I have not had any indigestion and am feeling better and have increased in weight."

"Since finding the benefit I derived from Grape-Nuts I have prescribed the food for all of my patients suffering from indigestion or over-feeding and also for those recovering from disease where I want a food easy to take and certain to digest and that will not overtax the stomach."

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Get little book "The Road to Well-vill" in the package.

C. M. Hawes, a scene shifter, gave important testimony before Fire Inspector Fulkerson. He declared that the stage management of the Ironquists Theater had no orders to govern the employees in case of a fire, had never instructed them as to opening or closing ventilators and never gave them a fire drill.

David Jones, John Klingbury, Otto Rauch and William Brown, the Fuller Construction Company employees arrested on a charge of malicious mischief in destroying evidence at the theater in changing the skylights, were today held under bonds of \$2000 each.

HELD BY HYPNOTIC EYE.

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that many other young women visited the immoral den. According to the testimony they make the head of disgrace may fall heavily upon respectable families in Berkeley, Alameda and San Jose.

MANY PHOTOGRAPHS.

The police authorities have the photographs of twelve or fifteen extremely young looking women who are said to all occupy positions in the social scale. Some of the photographs are accompanied with the name, while others are waiting identification. Fong admits having lured some of the girls to his place, but says that he was assisted more by the two white women, with whom he shared the money he made. Names of half a dozen women frequenters are in the hands of the police and arrests are up to occur any time. One of these women is Mollie Gance, an actress.

Makato was found guilty of misdemeanor by Judge Smith today and fined \$50 or twenty-five days.

BOODLE CASE DISMISSED. JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., Jan. 6.—The case of Prosecuting Attorney R. P. Stone of this county, charged with accepting a \$300 bribe, which went to trial today, was dismissed by Prosecuting Attorney Pro Ten Brown, because the prosecuting witness stood on his constitutional right and refused to testify. The indictment charged that Stone accepted a \$300 bribe not to push the prosecution of one P. F. Ellis.

DISMISSES CHARGE. The charge of misdemeanor or embezzlement placed against Charles Marshall by J. D. Taylor was dismissed on motion of Prosecuting Attorney Leach by Police Judge Smith this morning.

JAPAN STATES CASE.

Claims She Only Wants Fair Deal From Russia.

TOKIO, Jan. 6.—A high Japanese authority today made the following explanation of the status of the Far Eastern question:

"The statement that Russia has made concessions to Japan is not exact. On the contrary, Russia in the month of October, made certain concessions which were accepted by Japan subsequently withdrawing them and assuming an attitude which left the Japanese little hope in the way of reaching a satisfactory agreement. The Japanese government, confident in the declaration of disinterestedness in Manchuria, made by Russia, and recognizing Russia's special interests in that region, wished to regulate once for all, all questions in the Far East in the interest of future peace and tranquility. To this end Japan made the following proposals:

"1.—Russia and Japan should mutually respect the independence and territorial integrity of China and Korea.

"2.—To recognize reciprocity, Japan, the special interests of Russia in Manchuria, Russia, the special interests of Japan in Korea.

"3.—To engage mutually not to interfere. Japan, the commercial rights and immunities acquired by Russia in Korea; Russia, the commercial rights and immunities acquired by Japan in Manchuria.

"4.—In making the third proposition, Japan wished not only to protect her rights in China and those of Russia in Korea, but consecrate by the principle of equality and commercial rights of all nations in Korea and China.

"Russia declined the Japanese propositions and submitted a counter proposition which contained a clause providing for the creation of a neutral zone extending from the China-Korean frontier to Wong Tan on the east and Ping Yang on the west. The zone comprised almost a third of Korea."

DOES NOT FEAR THREATS.

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 6.—A dispatch from Port Arthur says the Russo-Japanese crisis is commented upon by Viceroy Alexieff's organ, the Nova Kraige, as follows:

"No threats can make Russia abandon her legitimate rights in Manchuria or in Korea. The interests of Russia and Japan can be reconciled without touching that country's (Korea's) sovereignty. Russia does not fear war, but she does not shrink it and therefore is seeking to render it impossible."

EMPLOYED BY JAPANESE.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—A party of marine engineers from the Clyde districts, engaged by the Japanese government to proceed immediately to Japan, presumably for service on board transports, sailed for Japan yesterday. They embarked at Liverpool on board the British steamer Lake Erie, bound for St. John, N. B., whence they will be transported by rail to the Pacific coast. Another draft of Scotch engineers left Govan quietly for Japan a week ago. The summons they received was so urgent that the men left without having provided themselves with outfits.

A detachment of 120 British naval personnel and naval reserve men and ten British officers, started for Genoa, Italy, today to assist the navigation to the Far East of the Japanese warship Kasumi, formerly the Moreno and Rivadavia of the Argentine navy. The railroad station was crowded with sight-seers, who manifested great enthusiasm. There were repeated cheers for the "gallant little Japanese."

A cabinet meeting has been called for this week, probably for Saturday. The summons was unexpected. Premier Balfour and other ministers having arranged for a fortnight's absence from London.

SEND FAMILIES AWAY.

PEKING, Jan. 6.—A dispatch from New Chwang today announced that the Japanese commercial houses had instructed their agents to send their families away from Manchuria.

FINE CONCERT BY CARO ROMA.

On Thursday, January 21, Caro Roma, as she is known on the operatic stage and among music-lovers, but otherwise Carrie North Douglas of East Oakland, will give a grand concert in the Unitarian Church in this city. The program will be a choice one and among a number of fine selections will be a song cycle, "The Wandering One," a composition by Roma composed entirely on the Pacific coast. Although it has been a favorite in the East for some time, in that section it is now being sung by the great Sembrich in Metropolitan Opera House, New York City, who has pronounced it one of her best selections. Roma has always been a favorite here and her appearance will be awaited with great interest.

PASSED EXAMINATIONS. As a result of the recent annual examination for teachers held by the County Board of Education, the following applicants for pedagogical honors have been announced as having successfully passed with the requisite standing of 80 per cent: Miss E. Toohig, Olive Burroughs, Kathryn J. Burns, Fen E. Newton, Morton A. G. Smith, Irma Crowley, Mary S. Jackson. There were thirteen that took the examination and out of this number seven gained the coveted parchment. The examination covered twenty-three subjects taught in the Public School of the county.

A Bad Stomach

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NAVY READY TO ACT.

REBELS ARE NOTIFIED THAT THEY MUST BE CAREFUL.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 6.—Under date of Puerto Plata, Santo Domingo, January 6th, the Navy Department has received a cablegram from Commander Dillingham of the cruiser De-mander, giving an account of a state of revolt, giving an account of a state of revolt, giving an account of a state of revolt, giving an account of a state of revolt.

"In this vicinity anarchy prevails, business is at a standstill. Puerto Plata quiet at present. Jimenez authorities collecting duties and dues. Jimenez at Santiago. Revolution not one of principle but between factions. Will not allow interruption of commerce. Returned to Puerto Plata yesterday afternoon to see Cherokee out of port. Will coal here today and return to Sosua. Fighting at Sosua. December 26th between Morales and Jimenez troops took place on United Fruit Company's property. Without notice houses were looted, lives of United States citizens absolutely disregarded. Women and children had to flee for safety; property destroyed. Have forbidden any fighting or any armed force of any party within certain lines necessary to protect lives of United States citizens at Sosua. Commanding officers in the field near Sosua have been also instructed. Left one Colt automatic gun and steam launch with officer, 16 marines at Sosua to see my instructions carried out until my return. I am in signal communication with this force; can control situation. Consult here want guard. Do not ready when necessary. British steamer here. Have joined British commander in note to military commander to hold him responsible for any disorder and telling him that we would take such prompt action as we see fit in case of disorder."

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NEWS FROM BERKELEY AND THE STATE UNIVERSITY

UNIVERSITY MAN SCHOOL BOARD ACQUIRES BASKETBALL TEAM THE EMPLOYED JAPANESE BILL IS HELD UP. RECEPTION WAS A SUCCESS.

F. G. COTTRELL TAKES A BRIDE AT GRASS VALLEY ON YEAR YEAR'S.

BERKELEY, January 6.—The news has been received here of the wedding, in Grass Valley, on New Year's day, of Frederick G. Cottrell, instructor in physical chemistry at the University of California, and Miss Jessie May Fulton, a prominent young society woman of the northern city. The nuptial ceremony took place in the Hamilton House on Main street, Rev. W. A. Rimer of the Trinity Episcopal Church officiating. Only relatives and a few intimate friends were present. After a short honeymoon the young couple will return to Berkeley, where they will make their home.

BACK TO RESUME THEIR STUDIES.

BERKELEY, January 6.—Eugene H. Hallet, the editor of the Blue and Gold, the University of California student's annual, has returned to Berkeley from his home in Los Angeles. William C. C. Waller is back from Monterey county, where he has been spending a short vacation. After a tour of several of the Southern States, the Shaw, a University man, has returned to resume his studies. Paul Sinheimer, a graduate of the University, was a visitor in Berkeley today. John Hays of 808 Channing way is confined to his home with an attack of the grip. Mrs. I. Levin and Miss Levin of Sacramento are guests of friends in the West End. Miss Grace Farwell, a school teacher of Tulare county, has been spending the holidays with her relatives in the West End. Mrs. L. Van Meter of Bancroft way has gone to New Mexico. Miss A. Keefe, the well known school teacher, has changed her residence from University Cottage No. 3 to 2211 Bancroft way. Robert Waring of the University of California has been visiting in Roseville, Sacramento county. Fred Cooks is visiting friends in Sacramento. E. Halcomb is a guest at the Roslyn Hotel, Los Angeles.

Site for New Building is Purchased Adjoining the Le Conte School in the South End.

BERKELEY, Jan. 6.—A definite step toward affording more room for the school children of South Berkeley was taken at the regular meeting of the Board of Education last night, when Dr. W. W. Allen, the president of the Board, and Clarence Merrill, the clerk, were authorized to purchase the land of Dr. Martin Dunn, adjoining the school on the north, for \$2000. A new building is to be erected on the purchased site with funds already appropriated by the Board. Miss Edna W. A. Ryder resigned as a teacher in the department. Applications for teaching positions were received from Carrie Benson, Stella Lincoff, Carolyn E. Allen and Oliver Benson. Superintendent of Schools S. D. Waterman reported a large increase in the attendance of pupils and stated that the Lincoln, Le Conte and McKinley schools are filled to the utmost. Upon the recommendation of the finance committee the following bills were ordered to be paid: Davis & Stoddard, \$1.00; C. E. Weber

& Company, \$3.00; C. S. Merrill, \$35.00; A. Robinson, \$54.28; Patrick Fee, \$42.00; Sallinger Brothers, \$102.50; Berkeley Gazette, \$25.00; Telephone Company, \$2.50; E. C. Robinson, \$3.85; William Brown, \$6.00; D. J. Keane & Son, \$27.49; Logans Express, \$50.00; Durgin & Bleckley, \$13.50; George Mearns, \$24.00; John Boyd, \$9.00; F. W. Foss & Company, \$43.20; J. Donohue, \$73.50; W. P. Woolsey, \$15.00; Philip Sheridan, \$3.65; Stone & Smith, \$153.75; J. E. Bigelow, \$205.00; Frank J. Mills & Son, \$22.00; W. Sabin, \$2.00. Miss Nellie Bryant was elected a half day teacher of drawing in the High School. Owing to the building of new additions to the schools the following salaries of janitors were raised during an executive session of the Board: C. Aiken, McKinley school, from \$105 to \$120; Mrs. Patrick Bogley, Whitlister school, from \$50 to \$70; A. Benson, Lincoln school, from \$70 to \$80; E. O'Brien, San Pablo school, from \$55 to \$60; J. Turner, Columbus school, from \$55 to \$65; J. D. Remar, O and S. L. Church, High school, from \$57.50 to \$75.

ARCHITECT READY WITH PLANS.

IT WILL COST \$40,000 TO EXCAVATE NEW FOOTBALL GRIDIRON. BERKELEY, January 6.—John Galer Howard, the supervising architect of the University of California, is now ready to submit to the Board of Regents the plans for the new football field in the Hills. The plans, a section of land acquired by the Regents to the south of the University grounds a few years ago. The work will be a stupendous undertaking, involving a vast amount of labor. The plans to be submitted call for a field constructed on the same lines as the Harvard stadium. The site of the new athletic field is on a decided slope and about 65,000 cubic feet of earth will have to be excavated at a cost of nearly \$20,000. The filling in of the field to make a perfect level will cost \$10,000 additional. A portion of the earth which is to be removed will be used in the construction of embankments on which temporary wooden bleachers will be erected while the earth is being leveled. When the soil has been sufficiently leveled the wooden seats will be removed and cement tiers substituted in their stead.

CARS CAME TOGETHER IN LIVELY COLLISION.

BERKELEY, January 6.—A collision that shattered one end of car 66, used on the newly operated extension of the San Pablo avenue line in West Berkeley, occurred at the intersection of University and San Pablo avenues at an early hour this morning. Car 66 is much smaller than the style of cars used on the main line and it fared badly, all the front glass being shattered and woodwork splintered. The crews of both cars and two or three passengers escaped unhurt.

BERKELEY HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETES WILL ADD TO THEIR LIST OF SPORTS.

BERKELEY, January 6.—A basketball team will be organized at the Berkeley High School this week if the plans of a number of devotees of the game are carried out. Notices have been sent to a number of boys of the school and a meeting for the purpose of organizing will be held in the near future. This will be the first attempt of the Berkeley High School at basketball. The sport has been a feature of athletics at the University of California and various High Schools about the bay for a number of years and as soon as the devotees of the game in the local High School have completed the line-up of their team a series of matches will be arranged.

AMERICAN UNIVERSITY ASSOCIATION TO MEET.

BERKELEY, January 6.—University of California faculty members will have an important part in the program to be presented at the next annual meeting of the Association of American Universities, to be held at Yale University in New Haven, Conn., in May. The University of California will be represented by President Wheeler and Charles M. Bowers. At the first session there will be a discussion on "University of California Statistics of Enrollment and Expenditure." The Degrees of Bachelor of Science, Bachelor of Philosophy and Bachelor of Letters in the Degree of Bachelor of Arts and "The Administration, Financial Support and Circulation of University Publications, Including Journals, Dissertations and Scientific Journals." Papers on these subjects will be submitted by Professor Richard Hudson of the University of Chicago, Professor Paul Shorey, Professor Iras Remser of Johns Hopkins University and Professor Bakewell. At the closing session the subject will be "The Actual and Proper Distinction Between College and University Work." The papers will be submitted by President Hadley of Yale and President Jordan of Stanford. "Hanna is not a candidate," says an exchange. True, Mark believes in the "office seeking the man," but he will probably erect a proper signboard.—New York Herald.

School Board May Not Allow the Claim of C. Christensen, a Well-known Contractor.

BERKELEY, Jan. 6.—Because he employed alien labor during the construction of an addition to the McKinley school, C. Christensen, the well-known contractor, may have considerable difficulty in collecting \$2110, representing the balance still due on the work. It came to the notice of W. J. Schmidt, one of the members of the Board of Education, that a number of Japanese were being employed in putting the finishing touches to the addition and the first complaint he made was at the last regular meeting of the Board two weeks ago. At the regular meeting of the Board last night, Schmidt, who created a sensation some time ago by offering a resolution to bar Orientals out of the schools, prevailed upon the Board to hold up the bill pending the advice of Town Attorney Hayne in the matter. According to Schmidt and other members of the Board, last night, "and we are refusing to contract in employing the Japanese and that he cannot legally collect the money due him as the final payment on the contract."

"There is no court on earth that can compel us to pay Christensen," said Schmidt last night, "for he has distinctly violated the terms of his contract by hiring the Japs. I found the alien workmen just about the McKinley school addition and was instrumental in having the Board hold up the bill pending a decision from the Town Attorney in the matter."

BARRING OUT ORIENTALS.

While the Board of Education is endeavoring to written law in the matter, Chinese and Japanese are being barred out of the schools on the ground that there is no room for them. The single exception to the rule is being made in the case of a family of Americanized Chinese.

"We have not room enough in the schools to accommodate to all the white children," said a member of the Board, "and we are refusing to enroll Orientals until such time as we can get additional school rooms."

RAILROAD MAKES IMPROVEMENT.

SOUTHERN PACIFIC COMPANY MAKING RENOVATIONS AND INSTALLING OFFICES. BERKELEY, January 6.—The Southern Pacific Company is making general improvements in the stations along the local road. A ticket office is being installed at Dwight way and extensive renovations made to the waiting room at Berryman station. Along with the improvements has come a rumor that the company intends to close the gates on the local trains and charge fares from Dwight way to Berryman. This is in connection with the privilege is now free. It is only a short time ago that Superintendent Warren S. Palmer of the Southern Pacific put a damper on all such assertions by declaring in an interview that while a number of changes in the policy of operating the road had been rendered the higher officials of the company that nothing definite had been decided on as yet.

SPECIAL MEETINGS IN THE CHURCHES.

BERKELEY, Jan. 6.—A number of special services are being held in Berkeley. Meetings are being held at the Friends Church, under the auspices of John and Nettie Wiley of Los Angeles, at 7:30. Services of the week of prayer will be held Wednesday, Thursday and Friday evenings in the lecture room of the First Presbyterian Church. The public has been invited to attend the meetings which will be held at 7:45 o'clock in the lecture room. Two weeks of Pentecostal meetings will be held at the Church of the Nazarene, on Center street, beginning January 20. The Rev. C. W. Ruth of Indianapolis, Indiana, will conduct services at 7 and 7:30 o'clock. Anti-imperialism ought to feel easier. Eleven thousand men have been dropped from the army this year.—Chicago Tribune.

GOLDEN GATE WOODMEN ENTERTAIN HEAD CONSUL FALKENBURG.

BERKELEY, January 6.—Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moran gave a house party on New Year's day, the event being held to celebrate the sixteenth anniversary of their marriage. The residence at 1617 University avenue was lavishly decorated with red berries. One of the most pleasant features of the occasion was the arrival, at midnight, of Mrs. N. W. Lewis of Pasadena, sister of Mrs. W. C. Moran. Songs were sung, toasts were drunk and many good wishes extended to the host and hostess.

Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Julian Letourneau, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Finkler, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Wurtz, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Overhill, Mr. and Mrs. B. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. Kavanagh, Mr. and Mrs. C. Maloney, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Gilbert, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Carey, Mr. and Mrs. H. Lovenberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dittler, Mr. and Mrs. C. Emslie, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ape, Mr. and Mrs. George Mohr, Mr. and Mrs. Hickok, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Moran, Mrs. Bula Rayson, Mrs. A. M. Lewis, Mrs. M. Ashton, Mrs. Blake, Mr. and Mrs. Dan, Miss Jennie White, Miss Lillie White, Miss Alice Haberlain, Miss Kittie McHugh, Miss Eliza A. Stoddard, Messrs. C. M. McClain, Sylvester McKenna, George Cole, George C. Johnson, John Leary, aded, Eugene Letourneau, Ed Worth, Henry Emslie, W. J. Schmidt, Harry Levy, Philip Levy, W. C. McCuba.

COLLEGE TOWN SOCIAL NOTES.

BERKELEY, January 6.—George H. Palmer of 1023 Bancroft way was given a farewell surprise party at his home last Monday evening prior to his departure for his old home in Kansas City. An informal musical program and whist were the features of the evening entertainment. Among the guests were: Misses Anna C. Dickleson, Lena Stewart, Maude Gerrier, Clara Poole, Lottie Paul, Mary Warren, Edith Palmer, Edith Emslie, Helen Palmer, Mathilde Martin, Messrs. E. Warren, E. Warren, B. Poole, E. Gale, C. Stewart, S. Wilson, L. Dickleson and C. T. Warren.

HAYWARDS, SAN LEANDRO, EMERYVILLE, FRUITVALE, GOLDEN GATE

MORE LIGHT FOR FRUITVALE.

PLANS FOR STREET LIGHTING BY THE SUBURBAN COMPANY.

FRUITVALE, January 6.—There is a movement on foot to give Fruitvale more light. Heretofore this place has been one of the poorest lighted districts in Alameda county, but if the plans of the residents are carried through Fruitvale will be second to none in the matter of light at night. The proposition is to have the Suburban Light Company of San Leandro put in the lights in different parts of the town. The company has already subscriptions, unless the improvement Club takes the matter up and device another way out of the difficulty. On account of the many shade trees here it is very dark on the streets and lights are most essential, more so now that Fruitvale is no longer a rural district but is thickly settled. It is known that the Suburban Company stands ready to put in the lights as soon as given orders to do so and it is to be hoped that this will be done in the very near future.

PERSONAL.

Anthony Eirod of this place left this week for Alaska for a short trip. LEAVES TO ATTEND FUNERAL OF HER MOTHER. BERKELEY, January 6.—Mrs. J. J. Roadhouse has been at Santa Clara attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. J. M. Kimberlin, the wife of Professor Kimberlin, a pioneer seed grower of Santa Clara county. The deceased was a native of Pennsylvania and 72 years of age.

TRUSTEES MET AT SAN LEANDRO.

MOTION TO CUT SHADE TREES MEETS STRENUOUS OBJECTION.

SAN LEANDRO, January 6.—At the meeting of the Town Trustees on Monday evening considerable routine business was disposed of. Bids for the city printing were received and opened. There was only one bid, that of Daniel McCarty, owner and publisher of the San Leandro Reporter. Mr. McCarty's bid was 25 cents per square for the first insertion and 10 cents for each and every subsequent insertion. There being no other and lower bid, it was accepted. Town Tax Collector M. Gelsinger reported that the sum of \$478 in taxes had been collected during the month of December and that the taxes were pretty well paid up. Chairman Hopper reported that the contractor who was engaged to oil Joaquin avenue would put the street into first-class condition; just as soon as the weather would permit. It was intended to demolish the old Watchman Herzer's attention to the fact that there is a gang of boys who have been hanging around town at night and committing much nuisance in the way of vandalism. One instance was cited where the merchant had a lot of evergreens which the merchant had put up for decorations on Christmas. Herzer replied and said that he was doing the best he could, but that it was useless to make any arrests when they could not be convicted. On motion of Chairman Hopper P. Godchaux was instructed to lay a cement sidewalk in front of his property on San Lorenzo avenue. Town Engineer Goodwin was instructed to prepare a list of the curbing and laying of sidewalks on Hayward and San Lorenzo avenues where it was intended to lay sidewalks. Chairman Hopper was of the opinion that the property-owners on these streets should be instructed to remove the trees from along the sidewalks. This proposal met with discussion and it was the sense of the meeting that this would not be a wise move, as it might lead to a wholesale destruction of shade trees in all parts of the town. T. H. Rantzen was given the right to remove two trees adjoining his property on the corner of Hayward and Estudillo avenues. It was also ordered that certain trees in front of the Canon property on San Lorenzo avenue be removed. J. S. Fields and nine other property-owners withdrew from an action at the corner of Hayek and Davis streets. The case was granted. Trustee Barberio reported that the removal of Chinaman avenue had raised an objection to the removal of the arc lamp from the foot of their street to the bridge over San Lorenzo creek and other written next to the foot of the old one returned. No action was taken on the matter at this meeting. Mrs. H. C. Emslie reported that there were several telephone wires hanging in different parts of the city and that life was endangered thereby. He was instructed to have them removed.

ELMHURST WOODMEN GAVE A WELL-ATTENDED SOCIAL.

ELMHURST, Jan. 6.—Elmhurst Camp, Woodmen of the World, gave a largely attended social and dance in Red Men's Hall Monday night. Thomas Sawyer acted as chairman of the evening and announced the following program: Overture, violin and piano, Miss Rose O'Brien and Mrs. H. G. Clayton; song, "We Meet Again Dear Friends," male quartet, S. G. Hankin, T. E. Sawyer, H. B. Arlett and H. H. Johnson; recitation, "Asleep in the Deep," Harold Hardwick; recitation, Miss Carrie Lewis; song, "When My Ship Comes Over the Sea," mixed quartet, Mrs. Bolt, Mrs. Norman, H. B. Arlett, H. H. Johnson; specialties, O. A. Cozad; cornet solo, Master Sidney Barnard; vocal solo, Harry Arlett; recitation, Dr. Daniel Crosby; song, "Softly Roam," ladies trio, Mrs. Norman, Mrs. Bolt, Mrs. Clayton; song, "Star of the Evening," male quartet. An informal dance followed the program. W. H. Higgins acted as floor manager, while Miss Rose O'Brien and Mrs. H. Clayton furnished the music.

PETER LAING IS SUFFERING FROM INJURIES RECEIVED BY A BALE OF HAY FALLING ON HIS FOOT AND BREAKING TWO SMALL ANKLE BONES.

Peter Laing is suffering from injuries received by a bale of hay falling on his foot and breaking two small ankle bones. He is obliged to go about on crutches. MORE CARMEN. With the new year the management of the Hayward division of the Oakland Transit began to employ more substitute carmen. During 1903 there were so few motormen and conductors that the extra men often made over \$25 a week, while the regular employees only earned \$18 or \$20.

JAPAN BUYS MORE SHIPS.

NEW YORK, January 6.—In addition to the third class battleship Captain Prat, the second class cruiser Chacabuco, according to a Herald dispatch from Valparaiso, Chile, also has been sold to Japan. The Chacabuco was originally built for Japan, but Chile bought her when war was feared with Argentina. The negotiations have been carried out through an English firm.

INSTALLATION OF OFFICERS.

COMPANIONS OF FOREST OF HAYWARD GIVE A BANQUET.

HAYWARD, Jan. 6.—Hayward Circle No. 461, Companions of the Forest of America, installed the following officers last evening: W. S. C. Mrs. M. Lawler; C. C. Anna Lawrence; S. C. C. Maria Vargas; treasurer, Jose Silva; financial secretary, T. H. Thorndike; recording secretary, Carolyn Brandon; C. C. Mrs. E. Perera; L. G. A. J. Thorndike; C. C. Mrs. E. Kelsey; O. G. Anthony Silva; trustees, Mrs. M. Lawrence, Mrs. J. Meyers, Frank Kelsey, Mrs. E. Kelsey, Mrs. E. Kelsey. After the installation exercises a banquet was tendered the incoming officers. Hayward Circle is preparing for a monster initiation to be held at some future time. Already has a large number of applications been received. This Circle is both social and beneficial, being a branch of the well known society of Foresters of America.

SUBDIVIDING CULP TRACT.

H. W. Meek has commenced subdividing the Culp tract and he properly will be known as the Culp, addition to the town of Hayward. Seven cottages have already been erected on the property and more will be built up in the near future. Real Estate Agent Charles Prowse has the selling of this tract and a number of well known business men of Oakland and San Francisco have lately purchased homes there. ELMER PATTERSON INJURED. Elmer Patterson had the fourth finger of his right hand nearly torn off in San Francisco. He was engaged with his brother, Ed. Patterson, in putting in a front to the Redondo and in taking off the old plate his finger got caught and nearly was cut off at the point. He was taken to the Emergency Hospital, where the men were on duty, and his hand was set. He is now in the hospital and his recovery is expected.

TRUSTEES TONIGHT.

Tonight will be held the regular semi-monthly meeting of the board of trustees. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. in the city hall. The department committee will recommend the appointment of William Zambresky as chief of the volunteer fire department. Vice E. D. Dews, deceased, already chosen Assistant. Zambresky to act as chief temporarily. PERSONAL. G. B. Ferguson has gone to Watsonville to attend the funeral of his son, William Graham, of Peasantown, was a recent visitor in Hayward. J. D. Smalley is in Willis on business. The Misses Alice and Towana Lindsay of San Francisco, have been the guests of Mrs. J. D. Armstrong. Mrs. H. Shaw is in Los Angeles. Mrs. L. Gilmore and daughter of Oakland, spent the holidays in Hayward. A SAD HOME JOURING. VICTORIA, B. C., Jan. 6.—C. Arnold, a passenger on the steamer Empress of Japan, which arrived yesterday, found on arrival that his mother and two sisters were among the dead of the Iroquois Theater horror. He is hurrying to Chicago.

EMERYVILLE TRUSTEES DISPOSE OF ROUTINE BUSINESS MONDAY.

EMERYVILLE, January 6.—The Board of Trustees met last Monday evening for the first time in three weeks and disposed of considerable routine business. Thomas Badger, the Town Engineer, made a lengthy report on various street improvements which the Trustees have had in contemplation for some time past. The report was referred to the Street Committee, which station the riding on the macadamizing and repaving of all streets in Emeryville, making them the same as Park avenue. L. Maury was granted a license for the sale of liquor and three other applications were referred to the Committee on Licenses. It was reported to the Trustees that the dome of the Town Hall leaked and on motion the Town Clerk was instructed to have the contractor who built the building to that effect and have the same repaired. DEPUTY COUNTY CLERK. James Ellis has been appointed a Deputy County Clerk for the purpose of registering the voters of Emeryville. He will have his office with the Town Clerk. The election will be held on January 10, a.m. and 12 p.m. and 3 p.m. This will be found a great convenience for the citizens of this place and will save them the trouble of going down to Oakland for that purpose. No one will be entitled to vote at the coming town election next April or at the national election which takes place next November unless he is re-registered. ON TRIAL TODAY. Charles Cramer, who was acquitted of the vagrancy charge before Justice Cole last night, is on trial this afternoon before the same Judge on the charge of indecent exposure. The charge is made by the Town Marshal and an attempt is being made to convict the man, as the Marshal has secured considerable evidence against him. It is found guilty he will probably get the fullest extent of the law as a warning to others.

RECEPTION A BIG SUCCESS.

GOLDEN GATE WOODMEN ENTERTAIN HEAD CONSUL FALKENBURG.

GOLDEN GATE, Jan. 6.—The reception and dance given to Head Consul F. A. Falkenburg last evening was a great success in every way. The affair was given in Klinkner Hall by Bay Tree Camp, No. 640, Woodmen of the World, and was largely attended. A splendid musical and literary program had been arranged for the occasion and this was followed by dancing. The program opened with a welcoming address by Dr. Worley and Consul Falkenburg replied with a very interesting address on the order. The public has been invited to attend the meetings which will be held at 7:45 o'clock in the lecture room. Two weeks of Pentecostal meetings will be held at the Church of the Nazarene, on Center street, beginning January 20. The Rev. C. W. Ruth of Indianapolis, Indiana, will conduct services at 7 and 7:30 o'clock. Anti-imperialism ought to feel easier. Eleven thousand men have been dropped from the army this year.—Chicago Tribune.

MISTOOK FRATERNITY MAN FOR BURGLAR.

BERKELEY, Jan. 6.—Robert Wells Ritchie, a former newspaper correspondent of the College-Town and graduate of the University of California, and now the literary editor of the San Francisco Daily, had a startling experience at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house last night. He sought his old quarters at a late hour, unaware that his efforts to break into the place were being watched by his neighbors. Once in the house, however, he discovered and was about to fall into an innocent slumber when the suspicious neighbor decided to capture the supposed burglar. Such violent slugs were laid to the frat house, that the young journalist got up and looked out of the window into the moonlit yard. He was horrified to find the besieging army fortified with all sorts of death dealing implements and although clad in his night robes rushed a down stairs to proffer his card through the front door. The piece of pastboard bore the announcement that the Literary Editor of the Call was the innocent cause of the midnight alarm.

MADAME PAGET'S WISH WILL BE HONORED.

BERKELEY, Jan. 6.—The University of California is today mourning the death of Madame Emanuel Marie Paget, who died Monday night, just thirteen days after the death of her husband, Professor William V. Paget. Little did the world know the couple most intimately dream of the burden they were bearing in paying off an old family debt, contracted during the Franco-Prussian war. It remained for death to tell of the privations the couple had borne while patiently laboring together. The Professor in the classroom and Madame Paget as a music teacher during the earlier years of her life. The funeral of Madame Paget will be held tomorrow morning from the family residence, 2727 Dwight way. By holding the obsequies on this day the friends of the departed will pay out but what services be held over her on the same day of the week as that on which her husband's funeral fell.

SARAH EARL IS DEAD.

NEW YORK, January 6.—Sarah Cecilia Earl, well known on the stage a quarter of a century ago, is dead at her home here after a long illness. Her greatest success was in "East Lynne."

RICH MEN ARE NOT ALL HAPPY.

Croesus, King of Lydia, Had Troubles of His Own, and There are Others. Croesus, the John D. Rockefeller of the kingdom of Lydia, was very well-to-do in worldly goods and chattels. "As rich as Croesus" is a saying about twenty-five hundred years old. He was taken captive once by Cyrus and only saved himself from being burned alive by quoting a saying of Solon, the Sage. He finally had to flee his kingdom for parts unknown. Many of the rich man's troubles today come from high living and could be avoided. They are brought on by eating all kinds of rich, heavy foods at irregular times, lack of proper exercise, undue mental strain, unnatural stimulants, etc., and are commonly known as indigestion, dyspepsia, and weak stomach. They are serious troubles all right, but not only can they be avoided but can also be cured, and that without loss of time or proper food and without any special treatment. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the certain relief of dyspepsia, rich and poor alike. There is no such thing as stopping their onward progress now. A great relief has placed its stamp of approval upon their noble work. Thousands and thousands of cures they have effected and the happiness resulting therefrom have made their name a household word throughout the land. The story of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets can be told in a word. They actually do the work that the weak and wasted stomach is unable to do and they restore the stomach and regain its strength. They contain all the essential properties that the gastric juice and other digestive fluids do, and they digest the food just as a sound and well-stomach would. They relieve the stomach just as one rested and refreshed workman relieves the one on duty that is tired and worn, and Nature does her own work of restoration. It is a simple, natural process that a child can understand. You can eat all you want without fear of results. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are for sale by all druggists at 50 cents a box. Druggists all know better than to try to get rich without them, as they demand for them is great and universal.

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WILLIAM BARRICK IS DEAD.

NEW YORK, January 6.—William C. Barrick, formerly of Kansas City, is dead here from heart disease. He was a brother of J. N. Barrick, owner of trade papers in New York, Chicago, Cincinnati and Kansas City, who also died recently from heart failure.

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ORGANIZATIONS FOR FARMERS.

Almost every other branch of industry in the United States has its organizations, its unions or its trusts, for the purpose of advancing the interests of its members. The farmers are about the only workers in the American "bee-hive" of industry who have no large organization. Their products amount to more than any other line of industry. The crops of the farmers and planters amount in a single year to 5,000,000,000 of dollars. Some start has been made in co-operative associations among the farmers, but as yet such associations have not become very widespread. If combined into solid organizations they could control the money markets of the world. The farmer has been so busy taking care of his crops and his household in the past that he has had no time for business propositions, but when he does have time for organization work, as surely the time will come, great things will follow. Just so much as the farmer is the mainstay and strength of the American people, so will he reap his reward ultimately. Usually he is vigorous. From sunrise until sunset he works in the open air living a whole, some life, close to nature and exercising all the muscles of the body in his daily toil. He should have a healthy body, yet it is a noteworthy fact that many American farmers are often dyspeptic, emaciated and unhealthy, the blood in bad condition, and perhaps suffering from catarrh. Then as the spring comes and the hard work of the year begins he feels tired out and suffers from what some call spring-fever. He goes wearily afield to stumble with heavy feet behind the plow. The languor, heaviness and lack of energy, the variable appetite and unrefreshing sleep are his. Mole hills of work look as big as mountains, and perhaps to all other discomfort is added the baking out of boils or eruptions on the skin. The cause of these troubles can be found in the condition of the blood. Winter is the time of leisure on the farm, and the farmer takes far less exercise than in other seasons. He eats heartily of heavy food and the hard work of the year accumulates waste substances which should be thrown off, and these substances poison the blood and cause a heaviness of body and dullness of brain. Health demands that these impurities shall be purged from the blood, for they are not only the cause of discomfort, but they often grow into disease. The cause of the trouble is the blood. Tonic medicine, such as alcohol, brace you up but do not build up strength. They make you feel good for the time being, but that is all. There is a non-alcoholic and non-narcotic medicine which is unrivaled for its blood-purifying powers. This medicine is known throughout the land as Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It cleanses the blood from the impurities which clog and corrupt it. It increases

even. The bell saved Hart in the sixth. Hart came back strong in the seventh. Gardner saved himself in the beginning of the eighth by holding the glove of Hart, but Gardner rallied and the bell again saved Hart. From the eighth to the thirteenth the fight lagged with Gardner having a little the best of the contest. The fourteenth round was slow, as both men were tired. Again Gardner had the best of the round at the end. The fight had ginger in it and both men fought for all that was in them. The close being so spirited that Reiser Buckley decided the match a draw.

ANOTHER RAILROAD.

MUSKOGEE, Jan. 6.—The track and the terminals of the Muskogee Union Railroad, a link between Muskogee and Corveta, crossing the Arkansas and Verdigris rivers have been completed to this city. The road will be ready for operation as soon as the two bridges can be completed. They are under contract to be finished by April 1st. This is a Missouri Pacific line and will give Muskogee another connection with Kansas City and St. Louis.

ECZEMA SETS THE SKIN ON FIRE

No disease causes so much bodily discomfort, or itches, and burns like Eczema. Beginning often with a slight redness of the skin it gradually spreads, followed by pustules or blisters from which a gummy, sticky fluid oozes which dries and scales off or forms bad looking sores and scabs. It appears on different parts of the body but oftenest upon the back, arms, hands, legs and face, and is a veritable torment at times, especially at night or when over-heated.

The cause of Eczema is a too acid and general unhealthy condition of the blood. The terrifying itching and burning is produced by the overflow through the glands and pores of the skin of the fiery poisons with which the blood-current is overloaded. While external applications, such as washes, soaps, salves and powders are soothing and cooling they do not enter into the blood itself or touch the real cause of the disease, but S. S. S. does, and purifies, enriches, and strengthens the thin acid blood and cleanses and builds up the general system, when the skin clears off and Eczema with all its terrifying symptoms disappears. Send for our free book on the Skin and its diseases. No charge for medical advice.

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BASEBALL FOOTBALL GOSS.P.

ARCADE BEATS KENILWORTH IN HANDICAP.

Not Much Class to the Racing At Emeryville Yesterday—Favorites Had Good Day.

The only race at Emeryville yesterday afternoon that had any class to it was the handicap at six furlongs, fourth on the program, and it was made notable because of the fact that the favorite, Kenilworth, ran unplaced. The winner turned up in Arcade, a 5 to 1 shot. There was a fair sized crowd at the track and the betting was comparatively lively. The condition of the track was far from good, being sticky and heavy and making good time an impossibility. The opening race of the day was a seven-furlong affair with ten starters and the horses got away to a good start. Emily Oliver, with Burns up, was played for a good thing, but the mare failed to materialize. Oliphant, on Coroner Kelly, made a well judged race and landed the horse first by a length. Inapollita, a 20 to 1 shot, came with a rush from nowhere and landed in second position. The mare made all the running in the stretch and proved herself to be quite game. Ananias was easily the best of the bunch that started in the second race, although a quiet tip was passed around that Quaker Girl was ready and would win in a walk. This caused the mare to be liberally backed at 11 to 5. Ananias was first by a length and a half and was easy money for his backers at 2 to 1. Libbie Candide and Watersput followed him under the wire. El Fonce was the favorite in the third event and he had no difficulty in annexing the race. He lay in good position throughout the early part of the journey, coming through to the lead at the head of the stretch and passed under the wire first by a length. Hipponax, who sold at 2 to 1 for place, was second and Miss third. Don was the cause of a long delay at the post in the fourth race by his bad acting. He started the trouble by running away with his jockey for a quarter of a mile as they were going to the starting point and after arriving there he could not be induced to put his nose to the barrier. The delay did not do Kenilworth, the favorite, any good, and when they were finally started the brown horse was first by a length. The heavy impost he was carrying also told against him and Kenilworth finished with the also rans. Arcade was first, with Burns up, and The Don third, 3 to 1 was laid against The Don to show. Rey Dure was much the best in the fifth race and could not have been beaten with a club. At the last quarter he stumbled, nearly going to his knees, but that did not bother him a bit and he simply ran away from Oro Viva at the finish. Prince Blazes got the show and brought his backers four for one for that position. The last race was an excruciating gallop for Stuyve, who took the lead shortly after the start and led all the way, winning by three lengths from Joe Lesser. Namtor, the even money favorite, was third. Following were the results:

FIRST RACE (Seven Furlongs). Coroner Kelly (Oliphant), 5 to 2.....1 Inapollita (Larsen), 20 to 1.....2 Emily Oliver (Burns), 10 to 1.....3 El Fonce (P. Sheehan), 2 to 1.....4

SECOND RACE (Five Miles, Dilly Yards). Ananias (Hildebrand), 2 to 1.....1 Libbie Candide (P. Butner), 25 to 1.....2 Watersput (Larsen), 5 to 1.....3

THIRD RACE (Six Furlongs). El Fonce (P. Sheehan), 2 to 1.....1 Hipponax (J. Martin), 7 to 1.....2 Milax (Otte), 12 to 1.....3

FOURTH RACE (Six Furlongs). Kenilworth (Kenilworth), 5 to 1.....1 The Don (Larsen), 30 to 1.....2 Burnie Burton, Kenilworth and Muresca also ran.

FIFTH RACE (Seven Furlongs). Rey Dure (Hildebrand), 3 to 2.....1 Oro Viva (Bell), 11 to 1.....2 Prince Blazes (Hask), 20 to 1.....3

SIXTH RACE (One Mile and One-Sixteenth). Stuyve (Hildebrand), 5 to 1.....1 Joe Lesser (Larsen), 5 to 2.....2 Namtor (Burns), even.....3

Play Ball and Prestolus also ran.



JAMES T. MORAN.

Baseball fans all over the Coast will regret to learn of J. T. Moran's resignation as president of the Pacific Coast League. Mr. Moran's withdrawal from active participation in the affairs of the league will be a distinct loss to that body. There is no person west of the Rocky Mountains who has done more to popularize the national game on the Coast than Mr. Moran. He has done his utmost to elevate the sport to a high standard. In the early eighties Mr. Moran organized the first Coast team that ever laid claim to playing professional baseball hereabouts. He named it after the well known firm of which he was a member, "the Greenhood and Moran's." Many players who belonged to that team afterwards became famous in the large Eastern leagues. Mr. Moran himself spent his money freely in the interest of the game; his name was in itself a valuable asset. As president of the league he received no compensation, but nevertheless devoted his time and energies to the cause of bringing the national game to a high plane on this Coast. The demands made upon his time by his business is responsible for Mr. Moran's resignation. Of late he has not been able to attend to the duties of the responsible position on account of several deaths in his family. It will be hard to get a successor to fill the office as did Mr. Moran and every player in the country and the fans to a unit will all regret Mr. Moran's retirement as an official of the league.

185 pound man in the world, barring none, and Foley preferred. If Foley is anxious to meet Woods again he has nothing more to do than to look Billy Woods up. The last time they met, which was nearly a year ago in Los Angeles, Foley won on an alleged foul after he had been getting much the worst of the fighting. Consequently the fight fans do not put much credence in Foley's expressed desire of meeting Woods.

Bishop is contemplating matching Woods with Nick Burley, who is now in Alaska and has beaten all the good ones in that vicinity. Burley is com-

ing back to San Francisco and Woods will probably take him on, although he will be put aside to accommodate Foley.

WAS NOT ARRESTED.

C. F. Salomonson of Twelfth and Franklin streets says that he is the only bicycle merchant in that locality and that he was not arrested on the charge of battery. W. R. Bradstreet, who was arrested on the charge of battery, occupies the basement in the same building, but is not in the bicycle business, as has been stated. Mr. Salomonson says that some of his friends might mistake him for Bradstreet.

VALETS MUST BE LICENSED. WOODS IS READY FOR FOLEY.

WESTERN JOCKEY CLUB WILL STOP SHADY TRANSACTIONS.

Monday night the Western turf body enacted the rule that jockeys' valets must be licensed before being allowed to assist riders. The ruling was suggested by the Western Jockey Club. The new rule is supposed to help clean up the sport of racing as the valets have been the go-between in shady turf transactions. By thus holding the valets at the discretion of the jockey club, undesirable persons can be kept out of the race courses. The new rule goes into action on February 15.

A number of amendments were made by the committee. Rule 75 was changed relating to the re-naming of horses. By getting special permission from the stewards and paying \$100, the name of a horse can be changed. The name of a two-year-old may be changed before March 1 by simply paying \$10. Rule 165 was amended so that an apprentice shall be permitted to claim the five-pound allowance one year after winning his first race in any country. The rule adopted last summer in regard to jockeys' managers was amended to read: "Jockeys under contract to or under the management of others than owners or trainers of horses, in good standing, shall be disqualified. Persons not owners or trainers in good standing contracting with or acting as managers of jockeys shall be barred of all privileges."

CHARGES ARE NOT SUSTAINED.

At the conclusion of an investigation lasting until a late hour last night, the Board of Library Trustees dismissed the charges which were made against Dwight Strong, the curator of the Central reading room. A communication was received from the ladies of the Ebell, inviting the Trustees to the opening of the children's room, which is to be held this afternoon and evening. The clerk was instructed to accept the invitation on behalf of the Board.

The committee having the drafting of the rules to govern the children's room submitted its report, which was adopted after some minor changes.

As Mrs. G. A. Klinkner had served notice on the board that after this month the rental of the room occupied would be \$15 instead of \$8, the committee on reading rooms was instructed to investigate and act as it thought best about the matter.

The salaries of the employees were ordered paid on or after January 31. A large number of bills were also ordered paid.

COMTE LEON IS HERE. ST. LOUIS, Missouri, Jan. 6.—Comte Fernan Leon, second son of Comte Charles Leon, who was the son of Napoleon Bonaparte, is in St. Louis with his wife, and will reside here until after the World's Fair. "I have come to see the great fair that is to be given in celebration of the country which my grandfather sold to the United States," said Comte Leon. Comte Fernan Leon came into the title at the death of his elder brother, who was Comte Charles Leon in Venezuela a few years ago.

BOYS MEET AND TALK.

BRITT AND YOUNG CORBETT PASS TIME EXCHANGING COMPLIMENTS.

Through the efforts of James Corbott, light promoter of the Yosemite Club, Jimmy Britt and Young Corbett were brought together for the purpose of talking over the proposed match between the two. They were left alone and talk was the only thing they accomplished. They consumed one hour and thirty-five minutes in throwing bouquets at each other, and when both were ready for their dinner, they were no nearer a solution of the one pound difference than they were before.

All the time that they were talking both felt way down deep that he could knock the other's block off should they get into the ring together, and it was only politeness that prevented them from giving utterance to their feelings. The meeting between them was very much similar to the one between Jim Corbett and Kid McCoy in New York a few years ago. It was a meeting of brains as well as brawn, and it is thought that after they get through with their compliments they will get down to business and discuss terms.

Corbett tried everything in his power to shatter the difference. He called, coaxed, suggested and almost threatened. Finally he left the room, thinking that the lads might reach an agreement when his presence was removed. After giving them a full hour he returned, and the first words that struck his ears were but a twisted version of the same old pound of flesh. Then he called it off until today, with a hope that one or both sides might see the error of holding out after a good night's sleep.

The main trouble seems to be that Britt and Corbett are a trifle too smart for their own good. Corbett is the calculating little chap who wants the money and knows that he can make more by fighting Britt than doing anything else within his reach. But he also goes on the principle that a match well made is a match half won. Jimmy is not quite so cool, but he has a keenness of his own that makes his handling of the English language a sharp tool.

MUCH INTEREST IN TOURNEY.

EXCITING BILLIARD GAMES IN PROGRESS AT RELIANCE CLUB.

The first games in the class A of the billiard tournament of the Reliance Athletic Club commenced last Tuesday night, will be played tonight. Great interest is manifested in the result by local billiard players.

The result of the plays in class C, so far as played, is as follows: Fawcett 75 and Page 56, Fawcett 75 and Jett 71, the latter with a handicap of 15 on all the games in the class; Fawcett 47 and Mahoney 75, Foster 58 and Marston 75, Foster 41 and Mahoney 75, Page 72 and Moore 75, Page 57 and Marston 75, Page 67 and Strauss 75, Page 52 and Mahoney 75, Moore 69 and Strauss 75, Moore 66 and Devers 75, Moore 74 and Mahoney 75, Strauss 66 and Devers 75, Strauss 75 and Mahoney 66, Mahoney 75 and Devers 64.

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MRS. ADA WOODWARD, Gifted Healer, clairvoyant, 1505 Broadway, between Park and 3rd, 1055 Washington st., Oakland.
MRS. LE ROY Clairvoyant, Carl Reader, from 245 up, 1053 Franklin st. 11 a. m. to 8 p. m.
MADAME SOUDAN, well-known spiritual medium; hours, 10 to 12; 1 to 6, 571 10th st., near Washington. Truth or nothing.
GAS CONSUMERS' ASSN. reduces your bill 20 to 40 per cent. 1004 Broadway.
RAG CARPETS, rugs and silk portieres woven to order and for sale at lowest rates. O. Matthews, 708 5th st., between Castro and Brush sts. Phone Blue 225.

GENERAL NOTICES.

MRS. MORGAN, stamping and fine bookbinding, stationery and book materials. Studio, 655 14th st., near Clay st.
ARGONAUT TENT, No. 38, K. O. T. M.—Meets every Tuesday evening at 8 p. m., Macdonald Temple, 11th and Clay sts.; C. D. Lawton, 809 12th st., Com. Oakland Window Cleaning Co., 8 E. corner 11th and Broadway—weekly or monthly contracts for cleaning windows, mirrors, show cases or scrubbing floors; neat work guaranteed. Business hours 8 to 12; 1 to 6, 571 10th st., near Washington. Truth or nothing. Phone White 390.

MONEY TO LOAN.

ON furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc., without removal of property; any amount; low rates. Porter, 458 3rd st.
ON pianos, furniture and real estate, at rates unexcelled without publicity. R. F. O'BRIEN, 406 Eighth street.
FOR a strictly reliable private place to borrow money on furniture, pianos or jewelry. Same can be returned in monthly boxes. See A. W. Berry, 1185 Washington st.
MONEY loaned on mortgage of real estate by McKend, 458 8th st.
SUMS to suit on real estate or chattels. M. R. Lyle, Notary Public, 428 2nd st.
MONEY to loan—Any amount on furniture, pianos, diamonds, etc., without removal of property; if you want money, see R. E. TROY, 466 9th st.
LOANS on pianos, furniture, jewelry and other chattels without removal of property. See H. H. Edson, 1093 Broadway.
MONEY loaned to salaried people, retail merchants, teamsters, boarding houses, without security; easy payments; large business in all principal cities. TOLSON, 559 Parrott Bldg., San Francisco.
FROM \$100 up, any amount on real estate by Ray Smith, at G. L. Mix & Co., 558 Broadway.
LOANS to salaried people; no security. Oakland Loan and Trust Co., room 25 1002 1/2 Broadway; hours 10 to 3.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—On Saturday, Jan. 2, 1904, lady's open-faced silver watch, brand Tob; monogram "S. C. H." Return to 1602 Walnut st., Berkeley. Reward.
FOUND—A flat-bottomed row boat; owner can have by proving property and paying expenses. C. J. Curran, 163 East 10th st.
LOST—A diamond locket with monogram "R. W." Return to room 3, Macdonald Building.
LOST—Monday, bet. West Oakland and Court House, large black keys; liberal reward. Room 15, 921 Broadway.
LOST—At Novelty Theatre evening of Jan. 1, 1904, a brown and black coat; reward for return of same to 908 Broadway.
LOST—A cocker spaniel, Saturday. Return to 1935 Webster st. and receive reward.
LOST—A diamond collar button and necklace, bet. 14th and Broadway, 10th and Washington sts. Reward if returned to F. W. Sharpe, 1175 Broadway.
FOUND—Pawn ticket on 1 filed case watch. Owner can have the same by calling at Tribune Office and paying for the above advertisement.

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS.

FOR SALE—Good horse, suitable for peddler's wagon. Apply 520 41st st.
FOR SALE—Lot of fancy carrier pigeons, all male, 655 24th st., cor. San Pablo ave.
PIANO for sale, very reasonable on account of removal. Room 4, 1053 13th st.
UPRIGHT piano, walnut case, sacrificed for cash. 3535 Vallejo st., Golden Gate.
START the new year right. All will be happy who buy their furniture and carpets of the Oakland Auction Co., 491-408 8th st., cor. of Franklin; car prices very reasonable. You call and see us before you buy.
FOR SALE—A first-class second-hand delivery wagon. Kiel & Evans Co., X.
FOR SALE—A beautiful Nippon & Hamilton organ; very little used; cost \$130; will sell less than half. Address Box 563, Tribune Office.
FOR SALE—A good driving horse and rubber-top buggy; very cheap. Inquire Kiel & Evans Co., San Pablo ave. and 17th st.
FOR SALE—A second-hand bugle, at price no object. Kiel & Evans Co., X.
505—UPRIGHT Grand piano, rosewood case; good condition. 1211 Albia st. X.

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HOME treatment for mothers and daughters. Office, rooms 313-314 Central Bank building, corner 31st and Broadway. Hours, 9 to 3. Tel. CLAY 322.

SANITARIUMS.

ST. MARGARET'S SANITARIUM, 1119 12th st., near Adeline; phone CLAY 421. Dr. M. F. Stirling, superintendent.

SEARCHER OF RECORDS.

G. W. MCKEAND—Searcher of Records and Examiner of Land Titles, removed to 578 8th st., west of Broadway, Oakland.

BUSINESS CHANCES.

FOR RENT—Handsomely furnished house, central location, near Powell, San Francisco; present proprietor leaving city and furniture and car. Inquire at rent house. Address Box 978 Tribune office.

SITUATIONS WANTED—FEMALE.

COMPETENT girl wishes position as waitress or chambermaid in hotel. Apply 1453 Broadway.
WOMAN wants work by the day. Box 1902, Tribune Office.
COMPETENT young lady bookkeeper and typewriter desires position; references. Address 861 Grove st.
LADY desires work by the day. Call 1811 West 8th st.
Wanted—Day work. Call or address 739 Chester st. (downstairs).
MIDDLE-AGED lady wishes place as cook. 511 24th st.
POSITION as housekeeper in Oakland by experienced woman; best references. Address Box 997, Tribune Office.
COLORED girl would like a situation to do light housework; a good cook. Call 1422 14th st.
A COMPETENT girl wishes to do light housework; is a good cook. Call 1422 14th st.
POSITION wanted by a competent woman; best of references; 10 years in one place. Address Box 607, Tribune Office.
FOR best female help and farm help see J. Armstrong, coal office, 515 11th st. h.

HELP WANTED—FEMALE.

WANTED—Girl for general housework; plain cooking; in family; references. Phone 570, East 18th st.
WANTED—Middle-aged German girl for general housework; no washing. H. H. Bahis, 950 Linden st.
GIRL for housework in small family of adults; fair place. Call 3709 Telegraph ave. fare paid.
WANTED—Young girl to assist in general housework. 248 9th st.
GIRL to assist with housework. Apply at 548 34th st., bet. Telegraph ave. and Grove st.
WANTED—Girl for general housework. Telephone Spruce 741.
WANTED—Woman to work in lodging house. 419 13th st.
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 621 Wadsworth ave. Tel. Main 229.
WANTED—A girl for general housework. Apply 130 Vernon ave. Casa de Rosa.
RELIABLE girl for cooking and housework; small family; call morning, 1237 10th ave., East Oakland.
WANTED—A girl to take care of 2 children. Apply 1021 Magnolia st. References required.
WANTED—Girl to cook and do light housework; small family. Apply 139 Webster st., near 26th.
WANTED—Middle-aged German woman for general housework. Apply at 13 Telegraph ave.

SITUATIONS WANTED—MALE.

JAPANESE boy wants position as housekeeper in family or hotel. 1110 1/2 Market st. Tel. Laura 196.
MAN wishes work housecleaning and garden work. Address E. C. W., 526 Telegraph ave.
JAPANESE boy wishes position as housekeeper. Phone Red 531, 507 7th st.
JAPANESE boy wishes position as school boy. Apply shoemaker's shop, 31 Telegraph ave.
JAPANESE DAY WORK CO.—Compensation help of any kind. 908 Telegraph ave. Tel. Main 622.
A SITUATION wanted by Grand Army man of steady habits; any kind of work; been living in Oakland 2 weeks; references. Inquire at 1017 5th st. Tel. 2150.

HELP WANTED—MALE.

BRIGHT energetic salesman with tact and ability wanted by one of the largest financial concerns in America. Good opportunity to advance quickly. 875 Tribune.
UNCLE SAM wants help. 14,000 appointments last year. Free examination paper and catalogue giving positions and salaries. Dept. L., 172 Correspondence University, No. 205 Larkin st., San Francisco.
WANTED—A bell boy. Apply Hotel Crellin, 10th and Washington sts. d.
MEN wanted to learn barber trade; only 8 weeks required; our method saves 3 years' apprenticeship; catalogue mailed free. Molar System College, San Francisco. Ca. super. adv. 172 2nd st.

EMPLOYMENT OFFICES.

THE SCANDINAVIAN EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—Male and female help of all kinds; reliable help furnished on short notice. 465 2nd st., bet. Lakeside and Washington. Tel. Grove 28.

HOUSES FURNISHED—TO LET.

THREE-room furnished cottages. 818 Filbert st.
TO LET—Furnished, 8-room house; good locality; reasonable. Address 508 Telegraph ave.
EXTRA nicely furnished sunny flat, bath and coal range; central. 718 11th st.
FOR RENT—At 1123 Chestnut st., completely furnished cottage 6 rooms and bath; convenient to cars and local. Inquire at 1127 Linden st.

HOUSES UNFURNISHED—TO LET.

TWO new desirable houses 8 rooms each. Apply 1118 Brush, corner 13th st.

\$15.00—Fine cottage. No. 939 East 21st.
\$22.50—Close to narrow gauge and business center.
\$18.00—Fine cottage on Piedmont avenue; line.
\$12.50—Upper flat 6 and bath; close to local train, 105 and 10th.
\$25.00—Elegant upper flat; close to cars, town and school.
\$30.00—Best flat in town; close to local train.
\$25.00—Fine cottage; sunny.
\$30.00—Two fine brand new houses; nickel plumbing; good neighborhood.
\$30.00—Fine house on Lakeside district, close to town, trains and schools. We have many others just as good. LAYMANE REAL ESTATE CO. 450-462 Eighth st.

HOUSES FOR SALE.

THE Lyon-Dimock Storage and Moving Co., Inc.—Furniture and pianos packed, shipped, stored. 413 11th st.; phone James 921.

BIRDS ETC.

IMPORTED warbling Canaries, talking Parrots; all kinds of song and fancy birds, gold-fish, seed, cages, etc.; give us your order and we will deliver you. 1546 Market st., San Francisco.

NOTARY PUBLIC.

AUSTIN GEORGE W., 1002 Broadway, (bet. 10th and 11th).

HOUSES AND ROOMS—WANTED.

WANTED—Rooms, furnished suite for 2 persons; near Lincoln square, or 3 connecting rooms with or near board. Address Box 1000, Tribune.

FURNISHED ROOMS—TO LET.

NEW apartment house—"The Dundas," 303 San Pablo ave.—1 apartment of 4 sunny rooms, elegantly furnished for housekeeping; also 1 unfurnished 4-room apartment, front corner, suitable for dentist or physician; private bath with each apartment; gas range; janitor service. 303 Grove st. n
THREE sunny furnished or unfurnished rooms to let; single or en suite. 518 William st., near Telegraph ave. n
NEWLY furnished double parlors, sunny corner flat; desirable neighborhood; rent \$12. 14th st. n
WANTED—Rooms for 2 furnished rooms; private family; reasonable. 1386 Filbert st. n
LARGE sunny rooms; reasonable. 726 10th st. n
1288 FRANKLIN—New sunny rooms; close in; first-class only. n
CLEAN, sunny front rooms; \$5. \$6 and \$7. 303 Grove st. n
MONTANA HOUSE, 320 8th st.—Sunny housekeeping room; electric lights; rent reasonable. n
DESIRABLE rooms, single or en suite. 1118 Brush, corner 18th st. n
NICE clean rooms to respectable gentlemen. 1241 Filbert st. n
FURNISHED bay-window room with grate. 217 12th st. n
THE MENTION, 558 8th st.—New modern apartment of 3 rooms and bath; elegantly furnished for housekeeping; no children. n
SUNNY furnished bedrooms for gentlemen. 915 Alice st. n
334 TELEGRAPH AVE.—Beautiful sunny housekeeping rooms; furnished; close in. n
THE NORWOOD, 544 15th st.—Sunny rooms; housekeeping. n
ST. CHARLES—Just opened; nice sunny rooms, suites or single. 419 13th st. n
FURNISHED flat of 3 rooms; very desirable and convenient to local and electric cars. 518 Adeline st. n
THREE large rooms completely furnished for housekeeping; only \$24. 824 Filbert st.; telephone Green 453. n
ONE small clean single furnished room; \$5 per month. 721 18th st. n
TWO or 3 sunny furnished rooms and bath for housekeeping; rent reasonable. Box 508, Tribune Office. n
FOUR partly furnished rooms for housekeeping; adults only. 1255 Alice st. n
HOTEL ARLINGTON, 6th and Washington sts., Oakland—Elegant sunny suites and single; first-class board; suitable for families and permanent; central. R. L. Wills, proprietor. n
FOUR nicely furnished rooms for housekeeping. 1211 West; no children. n
THE CENTRAL, 616 12th st.—The best house in town for furnished rooms. n
FURNISHED room for housekeeping; also single also front and back parlors; convenient for trains; centrally located. 419 6th st. n
FURNISHED housekeeping rooms; sunny; gas. 1453 Broadway. n
SUNNY rooms; also housekeeping rooms; reasonable; running water. 1241 Broadway. n
UPPER floor, completely furnished for housekeeping; adults. 916 Filbert st. n
1889 FRANKLIN st.—Elegantly furnished rooms; use of parlor; narrow gauge 3 blocks. n
NICELY furnished front room; one or two gentlemen; central; call after 6 p. m. at 555 19th st. Mrs. Smith. n
KELSEY HOUSE, 536 24th st.—Furnished rooms; sunny or shady side of house. n
HOTEL MORRITT, 12th and Franklin sts.—Thoroughly renovated; sunny rooms; best board in Oakland for the money. n
EVA BUILDING, 525 13th st.—Furnished and unfurnished rooms; single or en suite. n
FOR RENT—newly furnished room; bay window; view of hills; bath. Apply 567 15th st.

ROOMS AND BOARDING.

LARGE sunny furnished rooms with best of table board; telephone service; bath, etc. Also location. 1018 6th ave., East Oakland.
NICELY furnished room for 2 with excellent board. 807 Jackson st.
A MIDDLE-AGED gentleman can have room and board; clean, comfortable; home; home comforts. Address Box 1001, Tribune Office.
LARGE sunny corner room with board for man and wife or 2 ladies or gentlemen; pleasant home; references required. Mrs. Baker, 1055 Brush st. Phone Red 56.
A NURSE will take invalid or aged person into her home; reasonable rates and best of care. Address 918 15th st.
NEWLY furnished sunny rooms; board if desired. 522 9th st.

FLATS TO LET.

SUNNY, upper furnished flat to let. 1123 11th Linden st., near 14th.
FIVE-ROOM flat; completely furnished. 1123 Linden st., near 14th.
UNFURNISHED ROOMS—TO LET.
THREE unfurnished housekeeping rooms; downstairs; gas. 721 18th st.
TWO or 3 large sunny unfurnished rooms; bath, hall, closet, hot and cold water, etc. 534 31st st.
LODGING HOUSES—FOR SALE.
LODGING HOUSE 9 rooms; central location; \$500. Also 7-room flat; central; \$400. 465 2nd st., bet. Lakeside and Washington. Tel. Grove 28.
WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS.
FURNITURE WANTED—If you want the most money for your furniture, merchandise, etc., send for the Oakland Auctioneer, 1002 Broadway, corner 10th and Franklin, under Galindo Hotel, corner Cedar 621.
FURNITURE and household articles wanted for Point Richmond; good prices paid. Phone Black 455 or leave address with H. Schellhaas, 408 11th st., Furniture Store, Oakland.
FURNITURE WANTED—We will give you more cash for your furniture, or other kind of merchandise than you can get from any dealer or private party. J. A. Munro & Co., Auctioneers, 1501 Broadway, Oakland. Office 424 1/2 11th st.; Tel. 916, 1904.

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ABSOLUTELY MUST BE SOLD
\$350—Almost 1/2 acre, building on San Leandro electric road; modern 2-story building, hard finished with stone and 5-room flat; fine soil; level land; flat mortgage \$2100, insured for \$2500.

11550—Corner lot, 50 feet frontage, bet. Market st. and Broadway; splendid location for flats, cottages or store.

MODERN COLONIAL.

4100—Fine spacious house, 8 rooms and bath with best cottage in rear. House rent \$30.00; Cottage, \$10.00; lot 40x125. Situated in fine section of Magnolia, inside of 12th and convenient to locals.

3250—Lot within block of San Pablo ave. 34x124; several pretty houses on 34x124 st.; bargain.

CLOSE TO BUSINESS CENTER.

3250—3 blocks from Broadway; lot 34x124. Good dwelling home, always rented. Land value sure to double.

3700—Sunny cor. lot, 30 ft. frontage, near Alameda and Broadway; 100x100 ft.; reduced for quick sale from \$1100.

A GOOD BUY.

4000—A fine modern house, 10 rooms and bath; up-to-date in every detail. S. F. local sunny side of street; fine view. House would cost nearly this to build. Marine view. Exceptional value and location.

SAN PABLO AVE. LOT.

2150—Lot on San Pablo ave., on best side of city, beautiful view; not built; convenient to city center and Santa Fe line; partially improved; bringing about bank rate of interest; mortgage \$1000 can remain.

2650—Modern cottage 6 rooms and bath; lot 34x124; near Adeline, bet. 12th and 14th sts.

2650—Modern cottage 6 large rooms and bath; lot 33 feet frontage; in splendid condition; north of 8th st.; close to Center street station.

3600—Two cottages rating \$26.00; S. F. corner; street work complete; on 4th line, East Oakland.

2000—New modern cottage, 5-room and bath; 100x100 ft. lot; S. F. local sunny side of street; balance easy terms.

11500—Modern cottage, 5 rooms and bath; 700 down, balance less than rent.

Unimproved Property.
Property exchanged. Rents collected.
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CHOICE REAL ESTATE INVESTMENTS.

WOODWARD, WATSON & CO., REAL ESTATE AGENTS, 1173 BROADWAY, COR. 14TH ST.

PHONE MAIN 35.

A HOME ON FILBERT STREET.

This property is on the north side of street, contains 8 rooms and bath; lot is 50x125; all in good condition; table.

COTTAGE ON LINDEN STREET.

A very nice cottage, built 12th st.; the house is extra well built and contains 6 rooms, bath, high basement and all modern improvements.

INCOME FLATS.

Two flats well located; easy walk to 14th and Broadway; contain 5 rooms and bath each; all modern condition; all-ways rented for \$40 per month.

FINE WEST STREET HOME.

This property is on the north side of street, 35x100 ft. lot; 6 rooms and bath; laundry, fine basement and all modern conveniences; everything in first-class condition; price is a bargain; terms if desired.

AN ELEGANT HOME.

This is one of the finest homes east of the city, on the north side of street; choice location; the house contains 10 rooms, 2 baths, and all the latest improvements; handsomely furnished throughout; hard wood floors; property is easily worth \$12,000; see this at once.

NEARLY COMPLETED.

See the five elegant homes now being finished on the old Union property, cor. 21st and Webster sts. These houses are extra well built; everything in first-class condition; price is a bargain; terms if desired.

HOME ON THE HEIGHTS.

One of the best bargains ever offered on the heights; the house is situated on Perkins and one block from the heights; the house is modern and up-to-date in every particular; has 9 rooms, bath, attic and basement; has double ground; good stable; location first-class; lot 50x120.

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PHYSICIANS DIRECTORY.

DR. D. D. CROWLEY, 112-115-114 Central Bank Building, office hours, 2 to 5:30 and 7 to 8 p. m.

ADAMS, DR. F. L. Office, Central Bank Building, 14th and Broadway; hours, 10 to 11 a. m., 2 to 5 p. m.; Tel. Grove 381; residence, 1332 Telegraph ave.; Tel. 2268.

REAL ESTATE.

A. J. SNYDER, REAL ESTATE BROKER AND DEALER, 467 NINTH ST.

UPPER FRUITVALE LOT.

\$600 will buy a lot 100x150 on Boston ave., near school house; splendid climate here.

DOWNTOWN COTTAGE.

\$2700—A splendid cottage 8 rooms and bath; on basement; on West side, near 17th; close in, convenient and cheap.

\$2800—New, well built cottage 5 rooms and bath and basement; table; lot 45x123; street work done; 51st st., east of Telegraph ave.; terms.

\$8000 will buy a 2-story house, 7 rooms and bath, on West side, on very easy terms; close to Lafayette School.

\$5800—Large cottage on 28th st., west of San Pablo ave., with lot 375 ft. front; covers were laid for Miss Letitia Barry, Miss Carlise Lohse, Miss Carmen Sutton, Miss Ann McElrath, Miss Jessie Craig, Miss Cornelia Weston, Miss Noelle de Golla, Harry Guttersen, Alvin Winder, Shirley Houghton, Roger Chickering, Willard Barton, Stuart Hawley, John Isaacs, Robert Jordan and the young hostess.

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NOTICE.

INVITING SEALED BIDS OR PROPOSALS FOR FURNISHING THE COUNTY OF ALAMEDA WITH VOTING OR BALLOT MACHINES.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids or proposals will be received by the Board of Supervisors of Alameda County, State of California, on Monday the eleventh day of January, A. D. 1904, at the County Court House, Alameda, California, at said day, for furnishing to the County of Alameda, any number of Voting or Ballot Machines from one to one hundred, said machines having forty keys in a row, and having at least nine such rows, and having the letters represented by said rows, one independent row, and one constitutional amendment row, of any kind or make, the letters represented by said State Commission on Voting or Ballot Machines of the State of California, said machines to be delivered at such times and in such numbers as the Board of Supervisors of said Alameda County may hereafter for resolution and contract determine, and to be paid for upon delivery.

Notice is further given that all bids must be filed with the Clerk of said Board of Supervisors at or before the hour of 12 o'clock of the said nineteenth day of January, 1901, whereupon said bids will be opened and the contract awarded to the bidder who has the lowest price for the machine or machines which the Board may accept and adopt. The Board reserves the right to reject any or all bids and does not obligate itself to purchase any machine.

Dated December 28, 1900.

JOHN P. COOK,
Clerk of the Board of Supervisors,
of Alameda County.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

Notice is hereby given that the estate of C. C. Cochran, deceased.

Notice of time set for proving will of Lizzie C. Cochran, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that a petition for the probate of the will of Lizzie C. Cochran, deceased, was filed for the use and in answer to J. Wallace, F. Biss and Annie Josephine Russell of letters testamentary on the estate of said deceased, was made on the 28th day of December, 1900, at the County Court, at Monday, the 28th day of December,

NOTICE.

By A. D. Todd, at 6 o'clock A. M. of said day, at 1904, I sold, at the Court House in the City of Oakland, in said County of Alameda, has been sold for the benefit of the creditors of said deceased person, all his real, personal and pronging said will, when and where any persons interested may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 1, 1907.

JOHN A. COOK, Clerk.

By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.

DECEASED PERSONS' ESTATES FOR PETITIONERS. Los Angeles, Cal.

PROBATE NOTICE.

In the Superior Court of the County of Alameda, State of California.

In the matter of the estate of Felicitas Victor Pagan, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that the petition for the probate of the will of Felicitas Victor Pagan, filed by her executor, Louis de L. P. Barillet & Juleta testamentary thereon has been filed in this

January 4, 1931, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Court Room of County No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the City of San Francisco, County of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said will, when and where said person later named may appear and contest the same.

Dated December 28th, 1930.

JOHN P. COOK, Clerk,
By A. A. Rogers, Deputy Clerk.

BARTLETT & BARTLETT, Attorneys
for Petitioner, 705 Market Street, San
Francisco Cal.

STOCKHOLDERS' ANNUAL MEETING

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the **San Francisco Land and Cattle Company, Inc.**, of the State of California, will be held on Tuesday, January 13th, 1931, at twelve o'clock M. at the Court House, 100 Broadway Street, Oakland, California.

P. E. BOWLES, President,
L. O. BURPEE, Cashier.

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
THE OAKLAND BANK OF SAVINGS.
 Oakland, Cal.
 The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Oakland Bank of Savings will be held at the office of the corporation, northeast corner of Broadway and Twelfth streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 11th, 1904, at 3 o'clock P. M.

W. W. GARTHWAITHE,
 Secretary.

ANNUAL MEETING.
Annual Meeting of Stockholders Union National Bank.
 The twenty-ninth annual meeting of the stockholders of the Union National Bank of California will be held at the office of the corporation, northwest corner of Twelfth and Broadway streets, Oakland, on Monday, January 12th, 1904, at 3 o'clock P. M.

THOMAS PRATHER, President.

Dated Oakland, Cal., December 10, 1934.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

CALIFORNIA SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY, corner California and Montgomery Sts.—For the six months ending December 31, 1933, dividends have been declared at the rate of 3 per cent on term deposits of this company as follows:

On deposit accounts established prior to January 1, 1933, at the rate of 3 per cent annum, free of taxes, and payable on or after Saturday, January 2, 1934, and on all other deposits made up to and prior to said date after January 1, 1934.

J. DALZIELL BRO. & N. Co., Managers

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

FOME SECURITY LOAN SOCIETY, 1 Broadway, Oakland.

A semi-annual dividend has been declared at the rate of five (5) per cent

By order of the Board of Directors,
CHARLES F. HOAG,
Assistant Secretary.

1170 Broadway.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

The Oakland Bank of Savings, Oakland,
Cal.

For the six months ending December
31, 1904, a dividend has been declared
at the rate of three and a quarter (3.25)
cent per annum on ALL savings deposits
payable on and after January 1, 1905.
Dividends not called for are added to
bear the same rate of interest as
principal from January 1, 1905.
C. F. GARDWATER, Cashier.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Elizabeth DeHoney, deceased.

Administratrix, with will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Delaney, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons claiming against the said estate, notice is hereby given that the said Administratrix, at her office of John Y. Attorney-at-Law, at 55 Broadway, O'land, California, will said creditors and claimants to exhibit to her all vouchers with which four months after the date of said notice they have become indebted to said estate of said Elizabeth Delaney, deceased.

FLORENCE T. WILSON,
Administratrix, with will annexed, of the estate of Elizabeth Delaney, deceased.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Lizzie C. Cohenour, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the estate of L. C. Cohenour, deceased, to the creditors and all persons claiming against the said estate, that they are to exhibit to the undersigned, all vouchers with which they have become indebted to said estate, within four months after the date of said notice.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Lizzie C. Cohenour, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned, executors of the estate of L. C. Cohenour, deceased, to the creditors and all persons claiming against the said estate, that they are to exhibit to the undersigned, all vouchers with which they have become indebted to said estate, within four months after the date of said notice.

the necessary vouchers, within four months after the first publication of notice to the said executors at the office of Mark E. Dineen, 114 S. Spring St., Los Angeles, Calif., which said office designated selects as their place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Lizzie C. Cohnour, deceased.

WALLACE F. DISS,
ANNIE JOSEPHINE HURRELL,
Executors of the estate of Lizzie C. Cohnour, deceased.
Dated Oakland, December 28, 1932.

Specials In Good GROCERIES AT PETERSON'S CASH STORE 43 San Pablo Avenue

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| Sugar—purest Cane—18 lbs. | \$1.00 |
| Boston Baked Beans in Tomato Sauce—3 lb. can | 10c |
| Eastern Picnic Ham (Sugar Cured) per lb. | 8 1/2c |
| Best Pure Leaf Lard—2 lbs. | 25c |
| Eggs (fresh Nevada) guaranteed—per dozen | 30c |
| Guatemala Pure Coffee—per lb. | 12 1/2c |
| Olive (new choice Manzanilla) quart bottles | 25c |
| Chili Sauce—Bishop's—this brand stands for quality—per bottle | 25c |
| New Assorted Jelly—3 glasses | 25c |
| Del Monico Salmon Steak (flat cans) | 10c |
| Home Made Mince Meat—3 lb. bot. | 40c |
| (Mince Meat in bulk) | |
| Libby's Potted Tongue—6 cans | 25c |
| American Sardines (Key opener) in Pure Olive Oil or Mustard—per can | 05c |
| Snider's or Blue Label Home Made Catsup (regular 25c per bottle) | 20c |
| Corona Soap (regular 7 for 25c) 8 bars for | 25c |
| Salmon Trout (salted)—cheap in price but not in quality each | 15c |
| (Regular 30c) | |
| French Prunes (large)—6 lbs. | 25c |
| New Tomatoes (Cutting's Standard)—3 cans | 25c |
| Konut (new shipment) per can | 60c |
| Honey (San Diego Pure White Comb) | 15c |
| New Ripe Olives—Quart cans | 25c |
| Shilling's Best Coffee (essence of quality) package | 25c |
| Assorted New Fruit—2 cans | 25c |
| Olive Oil—quart cans | 60c |
| Elgin Tub Butter—per lb. | 25c |
| Domino Cube Sugar—5 lb. pkg. | 50c |

PROMPT DELIVERY.

SHE PLEASD FRIENDS WITH HER MUSIC.



MISS OLLIE BALDWIN.

(Photo by Shaw & Shaw.)

Miss Ollie Baldwin has been visiting friends in this city and several Oakland people have had the pleasure of listening to her exceptional piano playing. She has made a record for herself in musical and educational circles.

NEW COLLEGE TO ENTERTAIN.

OAKLAND COLLEGE OF MEDICINE AND SURGERY TO HOLD RECEPTION.

The Oakland College of Medicine and Surgery at Thirty-first and Grove streets will open its doors to its friends and patrons Friday evening at 8 o'clock. The following invitation and brief program have been issued:

"The directors of the faculty of the Oakland College of Medicine and Surgery request the honor of the presence of yourself and family at the formal opening of the college to their friends, Friday evening, January 8, 1904, at 8 o'clock."

PROGRAM.
"Address of welcome by the president of the college, Dr. Frank L. Adams; addresses by Hon. H. A. Melvin, Rev. Thomas McSwain, Mr. H. C. Capwell followed by inspection of the different departments of the college building."

ESTABLISHMENT.
This medical college has been established, as the name signifies, to teach medical students, but in addition it permits medical men to carry on scientific researches and experimental study.

It tends to make Oakland a medical and surgical center.

It is now in the middle of the second year work.

No effort has been made to have a large class of students.

Only those are permitted to enter the college who in every way meet the advanced standing of the best medical schools.

Four years of study in college are required before graduation.

COLLEGE BUILDING.
The interior of the building has been arranged for the best comfort and convenience of the physicians and students. The rooms are large and well regulated.

The architecture is classical, its appearance is ornate, but no money has been wasted upon exterior ornamentation. Instead every effort has been made to so arrange the interior that it will be perfectly adapted in every particular to the modern teaching of medicine. The lower floor is entirely given up to the dispensary where ambulatory patients will be treated daily.

The entrance for patients to this clinic floor is on the Grove street side of the building. Immediately inside this entrance are the drug rooms to the right, and small offices for the registration and classification of patients to the left. Beyond is the hall forty-nine feet long and twenty-eight feet wide, partially divided into two reception rooms for the accommodation of men and women patients, while waiting to be assigned to the various clinics. On the south and west sides of this large hall are the rooms designed for the surgical, ophthalmic, medical, children's, women's and other clinics. These rooms are all large, perfectly lighted and ventilated and in every way admirably adapted for their purpose. It is designed of the examination and treatment of our patients before small classes a prominent feature.

The main entrance to the building is on Thirty-first street and admits to the lobby for the main stairs to the second floor.

The second story contains the east and west lecture rooms, bacteriological, histological, pathological and physiological laboratories, a faculty room and waiting and study rooms for both men and women students.

Upon the third floor are the main dissecting room, private dissecting rooms, anatomical lecture room, chemical laboratory and a large lavatory and coat room. This floor is supplied with overhead light, that being considered the most suitable for the work for which these rooms are designed. Adequate means for ventilation are provided, and it is believed that the main and private dissecting rooms are not excelled in convenience and adaptability for their purposes.

The building is supplied throughout with incandescent electric lights, and the plumbing and heating are of the

best, both as to fixtures and workmanship. No expense has been spared in rendering this building thoroughly practical in every particular, the materials used have been carefully selected and the workmanship reflects credit upon the contractors and architect.

FACULTY.

Joseph Sterle Eastman, A. M., M. D., Professor of Principles and Practice of Medicine and of Clinical Medicine; Frank Lemuel Adams, A. B., M. D., Professor of Clinical Surgery; D. D. Crowley, M. D., Professor of Principles and Practice of Surgery and of Clinical Surgery; Robert Thompson Stratton, M. D., Professor of Surgical Anatomy and Surgical Diseases of the Nervous System; Hayward G. Thomas, M. D., Professor of Ophthalmology, Otolaryngology and Laryngology; Carl R. Krons, A. M., M. D., Professor of Medicine; Joseph L. Milton, M. D., Professor of Anatomy; Edward Norton Ewer, M. D., Professor of Obstetrics; W. Francis P. Wakefield, M. B., M. D., M. C., Professor of Gynecology; Oliver D. Hamlin, M. D., Associate Professor of Medicine; William Surber Porter, M. D., Associate Professor of Gynecology; Jeremiah Maher, A. M., M. D., Professor of Pediatrics; William Kelley Sanborn, Ph. G., M. D., Professor of Material Medicine and Therapeutics; Lemuel Payson Adams, A. B., M. D., Demonstrator of Anatomy; James Burris Wood, R. S., M. D., Lecturer on Organic and Applied Chemistry; Thomas A. Williams, M. D., Lecturer on Bacteriology; Dr. A. S. Kelly, Instructor in Physiology; Dr. Doris Bokewell, Demonstrator in Anatomy; Allan F. Gillman, Lecturer in Histology.

PROVIDENCE HOSPITAL.

The Providence Hospital built and conducted by the Sisters of Providence of Portland, Oregon, whose motherhouse is in Montreal, Canada, is centrally located on Broadway, at the corner of Twenty-sixth street, a few minutes' walk from the College.

This institution is provided for the scientific hospital care of the sick, both those who are private patients of physicians, and those in need of medical charity. The ventilating and heating appliances are in accordance with the latest and best knowledge in hospital construction, and all the rooms and wards are so located that they receive sunlight during some portion of each day. Especial care has been exercised in the arrangement of the surgical operating department, far more space being devoted to it than is usual in such hospitals; the object being to surround the patient subjected to surgical treatment with all the safeguards which modern surgery imposes. There are three large operating rooms, two for clean and one for septic cases. They, together with the sterilizing rooms, instrument rooms, dressing rooms and physicians' and surgeons' wash rooms, occupy one whole floor in the south wing of the building.

The operating room for septic cases is situated at one end of the wing, as far as possible from the other operating rooms and the sterile dressings, an arrangement thoroughly in keeping with present methods for the maintenance of surgical cleanliness.

The medical and surgical staff of this hospital will embrace the faculty of the Oakland College of Medicine and Surgery, and through the courtesy of the Sisters in charge, the students of the college will have the privilege of access to the wards for clinical and bedside study. This provides for unusually efficient clinical instruction.

BOYS' RETREAT.

The boys at the Boys' Retreat are rejoicing over the fact that they are to have a graphophone entertainment. Superintendent F. E. Baumgartner has formed a plan by which to admit 500 boys and girls free. It is the superintendent's purpose to secure 500 persons who will give the price of one ticket in charge. These tickets will be distributed among the boys and girls. The entertainment will take place Saturday, January 31st. The girls will be entertained at 3 p. m. and the boys at 8 in the evening.

FIREMEN INJURED.

LONDON, Jan. 6.—Chief Roe, of the fire department, was killed and three firemen were badly injured by the collapse of a burning wall today. Sterling Brothers wholesale shoe factory and warehouse was burned. Loss, \$50,000.

WEATHER FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 6.—Forecast: San Francisco and vicinity—Fair, this afternoon, tonight and Thursday; light easterly winds, light frosts.

No Sale Like



The Lion Clothing Co's Clearance Sale FOR BARGAINS

IT IS THE TALK OF THE TOWN. YOU MAY ASK YOUR NEIGHBORS WHO HAVE VISITED THE LION CLOTHING COMPANY'S STORE DURING THE LAST FEW DAYS OF THE SALE, AND THEY WILL VOUCH FOR WHAT WE STATE. AS WE ARE POSITIVELY TEARING PRICES TO PIECES, SO YOU HAD BETTER NOT WAIT ANY LONGER, AS THIS SALE WON'T BE LONGER. OUR ENORMOUS NEW STOCK OF MEN'S AND BOYS' SUITS AND OVERCOATS, HATS AND FURNISHINGS MUST BE CLOSED OUT BEFORE OUR SPRING STOCK ARRIVES.

The Lion Clothing Co. 956-958 Washington St. OAKLAND, CAL.

UNION INSTALLS OFFICERS.

PERRY CONWELL PRESENTED WITH WATCH ON HIS RETIREMENT.

The cooks and waiters held a well attended meeting at their headquarters, Eighth street and Broadway, last evening. The principal business transacted was the installation of officers and the initiation of two new members. The officers who were installed were: President, Frank Overto; vice-president, Martin Gregovich; second vice-president, Paul Rachman; secretary and business agent, Ed Wornock; treasurer, John Grillich; inspector, Ben Lee; inside guard, George Bosnik; outside guard and janitor, Sam Tanovich; executive board, A. P. Medo, trustees, Jack Facoust, George Bosnik, delegates to labor council, M. L. Oberlies, A. F. Medo and Ed Wornock. Mr. Marceovich, a delegate, George Walter, a member of the local union, and John Clemovich, a trustee, were not installed as they were unable to be present. They will be installed at the next regular meeting.

The retiring secretary and business agent, Perry Conwell, was presented with a watch on his retirement. The esteem in which he is held by the union for the efficient way in which he attended to the business was the subject of considerable routine business was disposed of and among other things it was decided to place a boycott against two meat restaurants who are employing non-union waiters.

BARKEE'ERS.
The Barkees' Union met in Cooks and Waiters' headquarters yesterday afternoon and discussed of considerable routine work. Several candidates were initiated and applications for membership received. The proposed new schedule of wages came in for a long discussion and it is hoped to have it in operation very shortly.

CIGAR-MAKERS.
The local union of cigar-makers held an interesting meeting at Kohler & Chase Hall last evening and discussed of considerable routine business was disposed of and among other things it was decided to place a boycott against two meat restaurants who are employing non-union waiters.

BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL.
There was a well attended meeting of the Building Trades Council at their headquarters in Kohler & Chase Hall last evening. Eighty-five members were present. There was no business of any special importance before that body and only routine business was disposed of.

MEETINGS, 'ONIGHT.
The stevedores will hold their regular meeting at Cooks and Waiters' headquarters last evening. Eighty-five members will be present. This evening and it is expected that there will be a large attendance. The Barkees' Union will meet in the same hall this afternoon.

At Kohler & Chase Hall, corner Eleventh street and Broadway, there will be meetings of the following unions: Cigar-makers, Lathers, Plumbers and Steel Metal Workers.

BANQUET TOMORROW.
The Slavonian Society, of whom members belong to the Cooks and Waiters' Union, will give their entertainment and banquet tomorrow evening in Forest Hall, corner of Broadway and Broadway streets. They have planned for an elaborate affair and many invitations have been issued.

ADMITTED TO PROBATE.

Two documents, purporting to be the last will and testament of the late William Fordham, were admitted today by Judge Hall and Charles J. Fox, named as executor in the will, was appointed as administrator of the estate.

The property is valued at about \$20,000 and at one time was promised to develop a three-cornered fight over the administration of the estate. Public Administrator Furman of San Francisco, Public Administrator Gray of Alameda and Charles Fox, of Berkeley, are contending for the position.

Fordham was able to show his best right to act as such and was appointed forthwith. Fordham died in San Francisco, but was a resident of Alameda county, which gave the two Public Administrators their claims to administer the estate.

Fordham's heirs live in England.

HAS SOME RADIUM.

Edward Booth, instructor in chemistry at the University of California, has procured a quantity of radium. It is sufficient in amount to conduct experiments with and it has among other things taken a number of photographs with its rays. He will show these photographs and the radium itself at a lecture on "Radium" before the Starr King Fraternity at the Unitarian Church, onorrow evening.

Physicians and surgeons are invited by the fraternity to a tender, presenting their professional cards, at the door.

HE DEFENDED THE JEWS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Advocate Kalnovich has been forbidden to practice law for two years, according to a dispatch from Kishineff by way of Bucharest. He defended the Jews before the court which investigated the recent massacre.

Secretary of the Council Karabazewski is said to have been exiled to Siberia for five years.

Some rabbis have joined in a proclamation advising the Jews not to participate in uprisings but to remain loyal subjects to the czar.

SUDDEN DEATH.
NEW YORK, Jan. 6.—Martin V. Dolan, formerly a national building contractor, met death in the compressed air of the Celanese, which are being used to lay the foundations on the river bed for the bridge across the East river.

FATE OVERTAKES SOLDIER.

HE JOINS THE MEN IN JAIL WHOM HE PITIED.

On Thanksgiving day, as representative of the Volunteers of America, J. A. Cunningham presided over a feast of turkey and other choice edibles given the prisoners in the County Jail. Today he occupies a cell there himself and is charged with being a deserter from the United States Army. He is now being held to await the action of the United States authorities, and if the charge found against him proves to be true he has a long term of imprisonment before him at Alcatraz.

Steward Harry Borchert of the Receiving Hospital, in his capacity as Deputy Sheriff, made the arrest. He states that he has the word of a comrade of Cunningham's for the fact of his desertion. It was a peculiar fate that followed Cunningham, according to the story told about him. He only had a short time to serve before his time of enlistment would have expired. He, however, took advantage of the freedom given him at the Presidio at San Francisco and ran away.

Cunningham had served as a soldier in the Philippines and had a good record. After wandering about for several months after his desertion he came to Oakland and joined the Volunteers of America. As one of them he did much to gathering supplies for Christmas festivities and managed the affair at the County Jail. Now follows his arrest, with the conditions reversed. It is said that a soldier of whom he had made an enemy while serving together gave the information against him.

WORKS OLD GAME IN A NEW MANNER.

J. D. Vestal of 555 East Fifteenth street, a coal dealer, reports to the police authorities that he received a call from a stranger yesterday, giving the name of F. W. Bell, and induced a check for him. Bell is alleged, told Vestal that he was an old school friend and stated he merely wished the check endorsed. With the signature of Mr. Vestal, Mr. Bell departed and cashed the check which was for \$10. The paper purported to be signed by S. N. Wood and was drawn on the Western National Bank. This institution refused to honor the check and Mr. Vestal was compelled to make good the amount. He now wishes to land his old-time school friend in jail.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued by the County Clerk today:

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| Frank Rose, San Leandro | 22 |
| Lizette Fields, San Leandro | 24 |
| Frederick T. Bulmer, New York | 42 |
| Bertha M. Metz, Berkeley | 29 |
| Antone C. Garcia, Centerville | 22 |
| Annie D. Duarte, Centerville | 19 |
| William J. Davis, Michigan Bluffs | 28 |
| Josephine M. Fenelon, Oakland | 25 |
| Arthur G. Pearce, Oakland | over 18 |
| Anna E. Verrill, Oakland | over 18 |
| Edwards Nordberg, San Francisco | 44 |
| Emilia Brummer, San Francisco | 45 |
| Martin Floegsch, San Francisco | 27 |
| Emma Moim, Hayward | 16 |
| Kenneth W. Muegrave, San Francisco | 23 |
| Mary Mason, San Francisco | 36 |
| William H. Southard, Seattle | 36 |
| Helen E. Mulvey, Seattle | 41 |
| Joseph B. Clark, San Francisco | 40 |
| Ola B. Rodgers, San Francisco | 28 |

WILL FILED FOR PROBATE.

The petition for the probate of the will of the late Adeline M. Sayle has been asked for by Charles Christensen, acting for Thomas H. West, brother of deceased, and the St. Louis Union Trust Company, both of St. Louis, Mo. He sets forth that the late is worth about \$9000, and consists of cash and a lot and residence at 1795 Central avenue, Alameda. Two-thirds of the estate is to be held in trust for deceased's sister, Mrs. Helen E. Pearce, living in Abilene, Texas.

NOVELTY THEATER.

The Novelty Theater has a fine program this week for its many patrons. Among those who are to be seen before the footlights of this house are the Three Rays, the Metropolitan Trio, Stanford, the comedian and mimic, De Hollis and Valera, comedy jugglers, The Albions, comedy acrobats, with illustrated singing and dancing. The program is never higher than ten cents, and it includes the entire performance. The attendance this week is large, as usual the spacious theater being crowded every afternoon and evening.

HONEY ADULTERATION.

LOS ANGELES, January 6.—The State Association of Bee Keepers, in annual session here, has taken action on the subject of the alleged adulteration of honey in this State, and appointed a committee composed of J. E. Pleasants of Santa Ana and Dr. Manyard of Los Angeles to prosecute all who are engaged in the work of honey adulteration. A fund was created to forward the work of prosecution and a considerable sum of cash was pledged by members of the association to this end.

Have You Seen Burt?

New York's celebrated Lightning Artist. Exhibition daily in our Eleventh street windows, 10 to 12 o'clock and 2 to 4 o'clock.

Beautiful Oil Paintings Given Away Free

Foreign and local landscapes and marine scenes painted in oils in the marvelous short space of a few minutes, every one of which will be GIVEN AWAY FREE as follows: with each purchase of Five Dollars and over you get one 14 x 22 PAINTING—with each TEN DOLLARS and over YOU GET ONE 22 x 36 PAINTING. This in conjunction with the Two Greatest Events in the history of the Big Store, to-wit:

The First Annual White Fair

And the selling of Mrs. Jacobs' high grade stock of Underwear, Corsets, Hosiery, Infants' Wear, etc., purchased for the purpose of giving our customers, remarkable goods at remarkable prices.

Plain Figure facts of economy are the powerful inducements we offer to throngs of buyers who are attending this sale.

SALINGER'S S. W. Cor. 11th & Washington THE HOUSE THAT SAVES YOU MONEY

DREW A PISTOL ON CHILDREN.

CHRISTIAN PAPE CREATES A SENSATION IN HAYWARDS.

HAYWARDS, January 6.—Christian Pape, an old Grand Army veteran created a panic at the schoolhouse here yesterday by pulling a pistol and threatening some of the school children with instant death. Some of them threw something at him as he was passing the place and reaching into his pocket pulled a pistol. Screaming and fighting the children ran in a body to the door where there was a stampede to get into the building.

Pape did not carry out his threat of shooting as he claimed he knew the boy who had thrown the missile at him and that he had got away. He, however, hung about the place for some time and Marshal Bamage was notified and went to the place and attempted to disarm the old man but without success. He however was finally persuaded to go home.

Some time ago Pape was declared incompetent and Dr. C. E. Alexander was appointed as his legal guardian. He was not thought to be dangerous but was not considered able to manage his affairs. Dr. Alexander is at present away in the East.

BONDS OF POLICE ARE DEFECTIVE.

City Attorney McElroy, to whom was referred the matter of looking up the sufficiency of the bonds of municipal officers by the City Council, states that with a very few exceptions the bonds meet the legal requirements. Several bonds of police officers were found to be technically defective. Some of the patrolmen who have been on the police force for ten years or more have not renewed their bonds when they became void. In some instances the bondsmen died and in others they became insolvent. These defects will be remedied at once.

ISLAND BONDS.

MANILA, Jan. 6.—Congress will shortly be asked to pass an act authorizing the Philippine commission to secure the name of some individual acting in behalf of the government of the islands, under which to issue its bonds, for the sum of \$7,237,000, recently authorized for the payment of the purchase price of the Friar lands.

COLOR MEN SUE.

RICHMOND, Va., January 6.—Judge Richmond Waddell of the United States Circuit Court has transferred to this city from Norfolk three suits at common law, entered by colored residents of this State, who ask damages of \$5000 each from the Governor, members of the recent constitutional convention and election officers for the alleged deprivation of rights under the new constitution. The cases will be argued in the Circuit Court here as to the

questions involved. John S. Wise of New York, formerly of Virginia, and John G. Carlisle, formerly Secretary of the Treasury, will appear as counsel for the plaintiffs in the hearings.

MUSICIANS WANT PROTECTION.

CHICAGO, Jan. 6.—In the revision of the city building ordinances for the protection of the theater patrons in Chicago, the musicians will demand that attention be given to the orchestra pits. At least two exits from each pit will be one request. The musicians are also considering asking that more room be provided for them and that less wood be used in the construction of their quarters.

Charges that the pit of the burned Trunk Theater was dangerous have been made at a meeting of the executive committee of the Federation of Musicians. A communication was authorized to Coroner Truog asking that he summon members of the orchestra to the inquest. The musicians, it is believed, are in a position to throw much light on the cause of the fire. A committee was appointed to confer with Mayor Harrison.

ABSOLUTE SECURITY.

Genuine
Carter's
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Very small and as easy to take as sugar.

CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. FOR HEADACHE. FOR DIZZINESS. FOR TORPID LIVER. FOR CONSTIPATION. FOR SALLOW SKIN. FOR THE COMPLEXION.

Price 25 Cents. GENUINE MUST BEAR SIGNATURE.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

Estate of Henry Herman Meyer, deceased. Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executrix of the last will and testament of Henry Herman Meyer, deceased, to the creditors of and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit them, with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executrix at the office of Reed and Nussbaumer, Attorneys-at-Law, 922 Broadway, Oakland, Cal., which said office the undersigned selects as her place of business in all matters connected with said estate of Henry Herman Meyer, deceased.

SOPHIE NICHOLAS, As Executrix of the Last Will and Testament of Henry Herman Meyer, deceased.

Dated Oakland, January 6, 1904. REED & NUSSBAUMER, Attorneys for Executrix.

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As uniform from day to day in its rich quality, fine flavor, exceeding goodness, as the rising of the sun. No cup ever held a better coffee than Hawaiian Blend. No one ever drank a better.

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